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U.S. SOLE OWNER OF HUGE CORPORATION

WAR INDUSTRIES MAY BE FINANCED UNDER BILL SOON TO BECOME A LAW

CONGRESS PASSES THE DAYLIGHT SAVING BILL

On March 31 All Clocks Will Be Turned Forward An Hour — May Modify Order Concerning Addresses in Casualty Lists

(By W. C. Van Cleve)

Washington, March 17.—Within a few days the bill known as "the war finance corporation bill" will become a law unless there is delay in harmonizing the senate and house bills, which are the same in principle but vitally different in detail. The war finance corporation is the proposal of Secretary McAdoo for financing the railroads and handling the finances of the principal industrial plants during the period of the war. It is based upon the flat proposition that the government, in its demand for tremendous sums of money and its necessarily frequent flotations of bonds, has practically monopolized the credit and surplus funds of the country and the further proposition that, during the remainder of the war it will be necessary for essential industries to be kept alive and for certain non-essential industries to be allowed to perish.

In order to cover the first proposition the bill provides for the organization of a corporation to be known as The War Finance Corporation, with a capital stock of $500,000,000, to be paid in as required. It will have but one stockholder and that is the United States. It will have five directors, two of whom may be already in the employ of the government, and not more than three of the five shall be of the same political party.

It is authorized to sell its bonds to the extent of two billion dollars to secure money to finance and aid such institutions and business as it may deem necessary to the country in these times. The house bill provides that the larger part of the business shall be done through the banks and not independent of them as originally proposed.

The organization of what is to be known as a Capital Issues Committee is also authorized in the war finance corporation. It is to be composed of seven members. It is authorized to pass upon and determine the necessity and desirability of proposed corporations with a capital stock in excess of $100,000. Those securing the approval of the committee will be licensed after the fashion of the food administration and those not so approved will remain unborn. It has numerous provisions, some difficult for the layman to understand, but these are the fundamental features. There is a suggestion of vast power over the business of the country in the bill and it urged only as an emergency measure. Unless something is

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READY TO ENROLL ALL BOYS

E. M. Claypool Is Named Director of Boys' Working Reserve for Nodaway County

Notice of his appointment, together with a certificate duly signed and sealed, was today received by E. M. Claypool, secretary of the Commercial Club, as director for Nodaway county of the Boy's Working Reserve. Enrollment officers will be selected and appointed by him within the next few days. These will be placed in every section of the county.

It is to be hoped that the enrollment of workers in the reserve will include every boy in Nodaway county and that every fellow will show that he is anxious to do his part in the fight against the Hun.

Boys who live on farms will be expected to enroll as well as those in the city. The organization is not simply for the city boys, but will include every boy. The slogan will soon go out: "Every boy in Nodaway county a member of the Boys' Working Reserve."

Each boy in the county should feel that he is a part of the great force that is co-operating to save his country in this crisis. The boy who works for his father is surely entitled to as much as he who works for wages on some other person's farm.

LIBERTY LOAN FLAG

EACH CITY TO BE GIVEN ONE AS QUOTA IS REACHED

PRIZE FOR BOY SCOUTS

W. C. Pierce, Chairman of County Committee, Announces $25 Gift to Patrol Selling Most Bonds

A new flag has entered the ranks of democracy. Already it is flying over the treasury department in Washington. Within half a month it will scream defiance to the kaiser from the windows of the homes of one hundred million Americans.

The banner—first stitched by Mrs. William G. McAdoo, wife of the secretary of the treasury— was raised in Washington a few days ago.

J. H. Burton of New York, "dollar a year" publicity agent for the third Liberty Loan, has outlined the plan of campaign as follows:

The sales plan contemplates an organization by cities, counties and states working in one great competitive campaign.

In brief it is this:

As soon as any town or district exceeds its quota a "third Liberty Loan flag" will be given to that city. Beneath the flag will hang the honor roll. On the roll the name of every subscriber will appear. Amounts will be omitted opposite the names of business firms, but not individuals.

As the district goes beyond its quota stars will be added to the flag to signify the amount subscribed.

The states in turn will be awarded stars as the state total exceeds the quota. In Washington a great tablet will be set up in the treasury department and the names of the states in

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70 MEN IN CLASS 1-A

MORE REGISTRANTS GIVEN FINAL STATUS BY BOARD

123 IN LIST RETURNED

The District Board Has Yet to Pass On Status of Nearly 800 Draft Men From Nodaway County

One hundred and twenty - three names were reported by the district board today with final classifications of which seventy were placed in Class 1-A.

There yet remain in the hands of the district board the questionnaires of nearly 800 draft men from Nodaway county who are to be given their final status.

The 123 men given final classification follow:

Harvey Wilfong, Maitland, 1-A.
John Stephen Meyer, Conception Junction, 3-J.
Fay E. Carmichael, Parnell, 1-A.
Arthur Vanpelt, Quitman, 1-A.
John Fisher, Maryville, 2-C.
Alfred Nicholas Sturm, Maryville, 3-J.
Raymond Thompson, Maryville, 1-A.
Reginald C. Welch, Parnell, 1-A.
William Lee O'Grady, Maryville, 2-C
Edward Cecil Appleton Hopkins, 1-A.
Fred W. Conrad, Skidmore, 1-A.
Kenneth P. Hinkle, Guilford, 2-C.
Carl O. Killion, Parnell, 1-A.
Carol John Hogan, Maryville, 2-C.
Alvin Martin Thompson, Bedison, 1-A.
Charles Cecil Bishop, Conception Junction, 1-A.
William Alvin Saunders, Maryville, 2-C.
Elmer Edward Dick, Maryville, 1-A.
Walter Foster Scott, Maryville, 3-J.
Thomas Alcysius Graham, Ravenwood, 3-J.
Joseph Charles Farnan, Conception Junction, 1-A.
Charlie Frank Carter, Burlington Junction, 2-C.
Curry Farmer, Skidmore, 1-A.
William Clinton Duff, Barnard, 1-A.
George Henry Cobb, Burlington Junction, 1-A.
William A. Dukes, Parnell, 1-A.
Hiram H. Wright, Guilford, 1-A.
George F. Newcomb, Parnell, 1-A.
Benjamin E. Moffitt, Barnard, 1-A.
John L. Meyer, Guilford, 1-A.
John Oba Hall, Maryville, 1-A.
Virgil Charles McCormick, Maryville 2-C.
George Franklin Barton, Parnell, 1-A.
Ray Dorance Hackett, Burlington Junction, 3-J.
Frederic Welby Nicholas, Maryville, 3-J.
Mills E. Crane, Quitman, 2-C.
Harry Butt, Conception Junction, 1-A.
Albert Martin Gaa, Conception Jct., 3-J.
Lawson Arthur Hartness, Burlington Junction, 1-A.
Walter David Shrubshell, Maryville, 1-A.
Albert B. Bennett, Parnell, 1-A.
Elmer Colin Johnston, Burlington Junction, 1-A.
Paul Gilmon Drydale, Barnard, 2-C.
William Henry Hook, Hopkins, 2-C.
Wilber H. Dowis, Sheridan, 1-A.
Leonard Forrest Bosch, Pickering, 4-C.
Ignatius Nicholas Lutzen, Conception, 1-A.
Floyd Edmond Logan, Maryville, 1-A
Bevery B. Cunningham, Graham, 1-A
Robert Emmert Tobin, Burlington Junction, 2-C.
Louie Grider, Vallonia, Ind., 1-A.
Walter Scott Todd, Maryville, 1-A.
Glen Spencer Lamb, Elmo, 1-A.
Charles Oscar Kime, Maryville, 2-C.
Robert Asa Patterson, Maryville, 1-A
Adelrich George Henggler, Clyde, 2-C.
John Edward Vaughn, Maryville, 1-A
Cornelius A. McManus, Conception, 1-A.
Alva Clay Hill, Maryville, 4-C.
Otis Andrew Baker, Clearmont, 1-A.
Robert Frank Johnson, Maryville, 2-C.
Glen Johnson, Maryville, 1-A.
Cecil Eugene Lawson, Ravenwood, 2-C.
Harry R. Blackney, Skidmore, 1-A.
Garman H. Powers, Guilford, 1-I.

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Overland "83" for SALE in good condition. Want to sell at once. See or Call me. Dr. H. S. Rowlett, Hanamo 418, Farmers 239.

WAR SHIPS COLLIDE-4 KILLED

Navy Department Announces Accident In European Waters In Which Officers and Men Meet Death

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Washington, D. C., March 21. —One officer and three enlisted men were killed in a collision between an American and a British destroyer in European waters on Tuesday, March 19, the navy department announced today. A large number of enlisted men were also injured, some so seriously that it is believed they may have died since. Further details of the accident are being awaited. Admiral Sims failed to mention any casualties aboard the British vessel.

IS CITY TOO POOR?

NOT EVEN ENOUGH MONEY TO PURCHASE A FLAG?

A PATRIOTIC APPEAL

Citizen Says City Council Should Devise Some Way to Get Money Without Soliciting the Business Men

The Democrat - Forum is in receipt of two letters today from citizens who want to know if it is really true that the city of Maryville is too poor to purchase a flag to fly from the municipal flag pole at the corner of Main and Fourth streets. The letters follow:

"Maryville, Mo., March 20.

"The Democrat - Forum:—

"A stranger comes to the city and about the first object that meets his optics is the city flag pole which is located at the intersection of Fourth and Main streets. It looks to a casual observer that the city administration, as well as the citizens, are carrying their patriotism around on their coat sleeves. While the young men of the city and county are "over there" doing their duty as American citizens, what are we doing? Very little; do not care to go to the trouble of going down in our jeans and digging up the price of a flag that it may show loyalty to our country and patriotism te the young men who are doing their bit.

"One would think that the city government would devise some scheme whereby it could make the purchase of a good flag without calling upon the business men for donations in order to secure one. It seems to one who is interested that it is the patriotic duty of the mayor and aldermen to see that the flag pole is ornamented with the national emblem without any question or delay. Come on with the flag and show the citizens that you are game as well as patriotic.

"J. B."

"Maryville, Mo., March 20.

"Editor Democrat - Forum:—

"Seeing in the paper that the Boy Scouts were raising money to get a flag for the city flag pole after the old one had been torn. I contributed a small amount. If the city is too

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ARE YOU RAISING CHICKENS?

Then Hear R. L. Mason, Government Poultry Conservation Director at High School on Friday Night

One hundred hens on every farm to aid in increasing the nation's food supply will be urged by R. L. Mason, government poultry expert, who will speak at a meeting to be held tomorrow night in the high school auditorium. Mr. Mason comes to arouse a wider interest in chicken and egg production and both city residents and farm folks are asked to hear him. He will illustrate his talk with pictures showing the best methods of propagation and breeding. Mr. Mason's discussion of the value of chicken raising and how to get the best results is well worth while. Hens on the farm and in city back yards means profit and patriotism. It will increase the output of eggs and poultry meat and thus help solve the nation's food supply.

Mr. Mason will speak at Barnard in the morning and at Hopkins in the afternoon.

WOMEN TO VOTE AT PRIMARIES.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Austin, Texas, March 21. — A bill granting women the right to vote at primary elections was passed by the senate today. The measure had already passed the house and Governor Hobby has already given his assurance of approval.

READY FOR TOURNEY

"DAD" SCARLETT AND PLAYERS ARE FIRST TO ARRIVE

12 TEAMS ARE READY

Elimination Games for Trophy Championship Cup Will Start at Normal at 9 o'Clock Friday Morning

The first team of basket ball players entered in the championship tournament which begins at the Normal tomorrow to arrive was the Richmond bunch, who came at noon, in charge of Coach "Dad" Scarlett, former well known Normal star and all-state guard and who piloted the Richmond team to a football championship last season. Scarlett was loath to say much about the condition of his men but told the sporting editor that after they had won the championship he would turn loose some good dope. These following players are with Scarlett: Campbell, Mason, Megede, Detwiler, Childs, and Whitman brothers.

The other teams who will take part in the elimination contests for the trophy cup will arrive this evening or on the early morning trains as the rules provide they must be on the courts ready to draw for places at 8:30 o'clock Friday morning. The other teams entered are: Benton of St Joseph, Bethany, Excelsior Springs, Hamilton, King City, New Hampton, Oregon, Pattonsburg, Tarkio and Tina. Mound City and Rock Port are expected to have entries in the tournament, making fourteen teams to compete for the trophy cup. Headquarters for all the teams will be at the Linville hotel.

With the beginning of the games which will start in the morning promptly at nine o'clock, Maryville will see the best basket ball teams in this part of the state. Every team entered has made a percentage of .500 or better and all are topnotchers. In the elimination events some fast games are looked for.

The coaches will all be called for a meeting early in the morning to draw for places and to make such other arrangements and rules as may be deemed advisable for the series.

Over one hundred visiting players will be guests of the Normal school and Maryville for the two days the games are in progress and members of the Commercial Club are co-operating with the Normal faculty in seeing that their stay here is made pleasant. The merchants have been asked to decorate their stores in honor of their coming and will otherwise endeavor to make them welcome.

SERVICE FLAG AT PALESTINE

Special Program Next Sunday Evening for Dedication Service— Music and Readings

Palestine church, southwest of Maryville on next Sunday evening will have a special program to dedicate a service flag. Besides the sermon there will be appropriate music and readings. The complete program follows:

Song—Star Spangled Banner.
Prayer.
Responsive Reading.
Reading—"Our Country"—Lura Hiatt.
Solo—"We'll Never Let the Old Flag Fall"—Frank Smith.
Recitation—"God's Service Flag"—Mary Gex.
Duet—"In the Sweet Long Ago"—Daphne Groves and Beulah Stout.
Reading—"In This Sign We Conquer"—Ruth DeBord.
Solo—"One Fleeting Hour"—Mrs. Robert Weller.
Salute to the Flag—Two Girls.
Reading—"A Tribute"—Lura Cox.
"America."
Benediction.

To shelter homeless children and old people an offering will be received.

Bible school at 10 a. m.

Sermon at 11 a. m., "Easter Lessons."

All welcome.

DUTCH CABINET IN DANGER.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

London, March 21.—Commandeering of Dutch ships in British and American ports as a result of the failure of the Dutch government to enter into a commercial agreement with the Allies, menaces the security of the present Dutch cabinet at The Hague, according to a press report from Copenhagen today.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Lyon were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Swinford of Maryville.

MASONS TO BURLINGTON JCT

Maryville and Pickering Masons went to Burlington Junction last night where the third degree was conferred on two candidates of the A. F. and A. M. lodge. After the work had been exemplified by the Maryville lodge degree team the visiting Masons were guests of the Burlington Junction lodge at a banquet served at Sewell's restaurant.

The following Masons from Maryville were in attendance: C. C. Hellners, J. E. Reese, F. R. Marcell, H. L. Reines, James Stewart, Neil Somerville and Walter Todd. These went from Pickering: Dr. E. L. Crowson, Joe Everhart, W. C. Runnells, James Young, James Neal, James Clayton, Stewart Robinson, James and Wesley Hanna and C. G. McMillen.

8 MEN PASS PHYSICAL TESTS

The local draft board reports twenty additional men given physical tests yesterday, some of them having been re-examined. Of the twenty, eight were accepted as physically fit for service, one was passed for limited service, the other eleven being disqualified. The men examined were:

William W. Long, Mound City, qualified.

Loren Paxton, Parnell; disqualified.

Walter M. Paxton, Parnell; qualified.

Earl William Pearson, Hopkins; disqualified.

Ervin Emry Baker, Barnard; qualified.

Floyd Guy Waldroff, Clearmont, disqualified.

Joseph Cyrus Maffitt, Quitman; qualified.

Dennis Mason Jones, Maryville; disqualified.

Cecil Miles Stewart, Bedison; qualified.

Otho Robert Stevens, Skidmore; disqualified.

Orval Glenn Ossman, Sheridan; qualified.

Blaine Thummell, Parnell; disqualified.

Joseph George Auer, Conception Junction; disqualified.

Paul William Kuchs, Maryville, qualified.

George Washington Myers, Arkoe; limited service.

Elbert LeRoy Akin, Hopkins; disqualified.

James Lee Mozingo, Maryville; disqualified.

Francis Earl Bluel, Maryville; qualified.

Jimmie E. Thrasher, Barnard; disqualified

James Cunningham, Graham; disqualified.

OFFICERS BACK FROM FRONT.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

An Atlantic Port, March 21.—Major General Leonard Wood and Major General Franklin Bell arrived here today on a liner from a French port. General Wood was injured by a shell explosion several weeks ago while visiting front line trenches.

JAPS AWAIT OFFICIAL VIEWS.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Tokio, March 21.—Japan's decision on the question of formal intervention in Siberia to protect the Allies' interests has been postponed pending the receipt from America of official views, according to a report in circulation today. In the meantime there are rumors of an impending cabinet crisis.

LENROOT WINS NOMINATION.

Milwaukee, March 21.—Practically complete returns today give substantial indication that Lenroot, in the senatorial primaries held Tuesday, defeated Thompson, the La Follette candidate by a small majority.

GREAT OFFENSIVE MAY BE UNDERWAY

HUNS START TERRIFIC BOMBARDMENT ALONG THE WHOLE BRITISH FRONT

DESTROYERS IN NAVAL BATTLE ROUT GERMANS

Engagement Followed Bombardment of Dunkirk — Believed Four Enemy Ships Were Sunk by Allies —Few Casualties Reported

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

London, March 21.—German artillery opened up at dawn today with a terrific bombardment against the whole British front between the Scarpe river to a point south of St. Quentin, was announced by the war office at noon.

British troops carried out successful raids in the St. Quentin sector last night, capturing about a dozen prisoners and several machine guns. Other successful raids were made by the British at Messines on the west Flanders front, also in the sector at Houlsoulst forest north of Ypres and the Day Staden railway.

The intense German artillery activity reported by the British may be the beginning of the long-heralded and much-advertised German offensive. If so, the greatest battle of the war may be in prospect.

London, March 21.—Following a ten minutes bombardment of Dunkirk, in France, by German destroyers, a naval engagement was fought off the coast in which two German destroyers and two German torpedo boats are believed to have been sunk, the British admiralty announced today.

One British destroyer was struck and damaged, but was able to make port. Sailors from one or more German destroyers were picked up in the water following the engagement. Although the firing was brisk none of the Allied destroyers were sunk and there were few British casualties, the French sustaining none at all.

The Germans took flight after the bombardment of Dunkirk. They are believed to have come from Seabrugge.

Paris, March 21.—Violent bombardments began this morning over a large part of the French front, the war office reported today.

WILSON SIGNS RAILROAD BILL.

Washington, March 21.—The railroad bill was signed by President Wilson this afternoon. Under a bill introduced in the house this afternoon the president is authorized and directed to fix the price of gasoline, kerosene and fuel oil.

WORK ON WAR DEPT. BILLS.

Washington, March 21. — Senator Chamberlain this afternoon introduced a bill sent to congress yesterday by the war department giving the president practically blanket powers to take over all real and personal property in the United States. Senator Chamberlain also sidetracked the row over $2.50 wheat and the senate gave its entire attention to many bills urgently needed by the war department.

THE WEATHER

Partly cloudy and possibly unsettled tonight and Friday; cooler tonight.

Annual Basket Ball Tournament

For Championship Northwest Missouri High School Association.

Under the auspices of the

STATE NORMAL SCHOOL

Friday and Saturday, March 22-23.

The championship will be awarded on the results of a series of Elimination contests—FIRST GAME FRIDAY, 9:00 a. m.

The following teams have been selected to compete in the tournament by the Board of Control of the Northwest Missouri High School Association:

EXCELSIOR SPRINGS	BENTON	MAITLAND
NEW HAMPTON	BETHANY	OREGON
PATTONSBURG	HAMILTON	TARKIO
RICHMOND	KING CITY	TINA

Single Admission for Preliminary Games...25c
Single Admission for Final Game.....35c
Season Ticket.....$1.00

IF YOU WANT LABOR
IF YOU WANT EMPLOYMENT

Leave your name with the Maryville Commercial Club and we will aid you in getting help or employment. The Free Employment Bureau is maintained for the sole purpose of getting the employer and the employee together.

Phone; Hanamo 639. Farmers 20.
Empire Theatre Bldg., Maryville.

Feature Tonight
Empire Theatre
Show begins at 7:30
11 and 17 cents

Paramount Pictures, with
DOUGLAS FAIRBANKS
The screen's athletic star, in
Down To Earth
A laugh tonic bubbling over with sunsunshine philosophy.
Tomorrow, "The Beautiful Mrs. Reynolds."

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Change of Address.
In requesting the change of address of your paper, be sure to give old address as well as the new.

FOR CITY MARSHAL.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for city marshal of Maryville, subject to the action of the voters at the April city election.

E. E. TILTON.

FOR MARSHAL.

Mike Liston hereby announces that he will be a candidate for the nomination of marshal of Maryville, Mo., subject to the decision of the voters at the April city election.

FOR CITY MARSHAL.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for city marshal of Maryville, subject to the action of the voters at the April city election.

PURL EDWARDS.

FOR CITY COLLECTOR.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for City Collector of Maryville, subject to the action of the voters at the city election, April 2.

FRANK MARTIN.

For City Collector.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for City Collector of Maryville subject to the action of the voters at the city election, April 2.

W. A. BURRIS.

FOR CITY COLLECTOR.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for city collector of Maryville subject to the decision of the voters at the April election.

W. Y. COX.

A BUSY LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR.

The office of lieutenant governor is usually regarded as a position with but little responsibility attached, but from the very beginning of the term of Wallace Crossley, in January, 1917, he has been charged with a series of varied and important duties. He took an active part in the enactment of the "administrative legislative program" during the 49th General Assembly and much of the success of this program of progressive and beneficial legislation was due to his untiring efforts.

Following a season of arduous labor in the war relief campaign, the lieutenant governor was appointed fuel administrator for Missouri by President Wilson. He has just completed four months of strenuous work in supplying Missouri consumers with coal during a series of unprecedented blizzards and record-breaking periods of sub-zero weather.

In December, when the people were facing a coal famine incident to lessened production and interrupted transportation, when Administrator Crossley cut the Gordian knot which tied up the St. Louis terminals and opened a way by improving transportation facilities and lifting the embargo without which Missouri, Nebraska and Iowa would have suffered severely.

By taking a firm, aggressive stand and acting promptly at all times he has given efficient, practical service and the state a steady supply of fuel, fairly distributed. The records at Washington show that Missouri had less fuel troubles and less assistance from the United States fuel administration than any other state.

While the newspapers mentioned it at the time comparatively few people in the state, outside of manufacturing circles, realize that Governor Crossley prevented Missouri from being included in Dr. Garfield's industrial closing order which paralyzed industry for five days and made Monday "fuelless day" for all manufacturing plants east of the Mississippi river. This order also included Minnesota and Louisiana.

Chicago manufacturing interests undertook to include Missouri in the closing order and great pressure was exerted, but the United States fuel administration sustained the judgment of Governor Crossley. He also won out over the Chicago interests when they later tried, in the adoption of the zone system of delivery, to control the entire output of the coal mines of that state. Missouri draws a large part of her coal supply from the southern Illinois fields, naturally, from a topographical and transportation viewpoint, and it was the prompt and vigorous action of Administrator Crossley that saved that source of supply to consumers in this state.

His activity and intelligent handling of big questions and problems connected with the coal, its handling and distribution, has assured Missouri consumers a normal supply of coal from outside sources for the coming year.

In this connection, however, Administrator Crossley says there will be need of strict economy in fuel consumption and urgent necessity for the early buying of next winter's supply of coal by household and other consumers. And Lieutenant Governor Crossley's salary as fuel administrator is just one dollar a year. He is giving his time and means to the work that he has made so splendidly successful, from patriotic motives alone.

THE BIGGEST WHEAT FARM

50,000 Acres of Virgin Prairie In Minnesota Will Be Planted for the U. S. by Chicago Capitalists

Chicago, March 21. — The world's greatest wheat farm to produce not less than a million bushels of grain this year is the patriotic answer of Chicago capitalists to the plea for greater spring wheat production to make up for the expected winter wheat crop shortage reported by Senator McCumber of North Dakota to congress as reason for fixing the minimum price of wheat at $2.75 per bushel.

The farm, which included 50,000 acres of virgin prairie in the fertile Snipe Lake district in west central Saskatchewan, has only recently been opened up by the Canadian Northern railroad. It is proposed to sow two-thirds of this great area this spring, using huge farm tractors that will seed the entire acreage in ten days time. The management of the enterprise is in the hands of J. E. Hauskins, one of the largest farm operators in western Canada, who holds the record for breaking new land with an achievement of 2,600 acres in sixty days with one tractor.

Mr. and Mrs. Harley White and son, Eldon, of Clearmont were in Maryville today.

Among the out-of-town people in Maryville today were Mr. and Mrs. Newt Morgan of Parnell.

NOTICE OF ELECTION.

To all the owners of real estate situate in the One Hundred and Two Drainage District No. 1 of Nodaway County, Missouri:

You are hereby notified that an election will be held on Saturday, the 6th day of April, 1918, at 2:30 o'clock p. m. at the lumber yard in the town of Pickering, Mo., for the purpose of electing two members of the Board of Supervisors, one for two years and one for five years, to succeed Chas. Hollensbe and W. E. Hinton, respectively, and for transacting such other business as may be legally brought up before the meeting.

Done by order of the Board of Supervisors of the One Hundred and Two Drainage District No. 1 of Nodaway County, Missouri, this 23rd day of February, 1918.

Attest: H. H. M'CLURG, Sec'y.

SCHOOL ELECTION NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that on Tuesday, April 2, 1918, at the various voting places in the city of Maryville Missouri, held for city election, there will be submitted to the qualified voters of the Maryville School District being District Number 97, a proposition to levy a tax of six mills on the dollar on the taxable property of the district in addition to the four mills authorized by law to be levied by the Board of Directors.

Also the election of two directors for the next ensuing term of three years each.

Done by order of the Board of Directors this 11th day of March, A. D., 1918.

J. R. BRINK, Pres.
GEO. PAT WRIGHT, Sec.

(1st insertion Mar. 20; last April 1)

NOTICE OF CITY ELECTION.

Notice is hereby given that on Tuesday, April 2nd, 1918 at the various voting places in the City of Maryville, Missouri, there will be an election held for the purpose of electing a Mayor, Marshal, City Collector and five aldermen as follows: One Alderman from the First Ward, two from the Second, one for one year to fill the vacancy caused by the removal from the ward of Alderman O. O. Howard, one for two years, (long term), one from the Third Ward and one from the Fourth Ward.

Polling places and the names of the Judges in each ward, as follows:

First Ward (City Hall) Judges: Noah Sipes, J. E. Reese, Howard Whaley, Hal Hooker.

Second Ward (Keeler Building), Judges: Henry Trullinger, George Conrad, Robert Brown, Alex Holt.

Third Ward (Gray's Pavilion), Judges: A. J. Anderson, Ellis G. Cook, Haden Sours, Dick Strawbridge.

Fourth Ward (John Kane Bldg.) Judges: Luey Gram, Howard McCaffrey, Fred Smith, Thomas Hall.

Polls open at 7 a. m.

A. S. ROBEY, Mayor.

(Seal)

E. J. Howland, City Clerk.

PREPARE HIGHWAY

GET THEM READY FOR THIS YEAR'S BURDEN

POINTS TO BIG TRAFFIC

National Defense Council Says Every Indication Shows Immense Development Is Coming

The highways transport committee of the council of national defense authorizes the following statement:

Snows of the present winter have shown the imperative need of a nation-wide effort to keep highways open every day in the year. Storms of unprecedented severity have frequently killed travel over urgently needed roads and thereby isolated a great percentage of farms.

This interruption of travel struck serious blows at the nation's war preparations. It added to the food shortage. It deranged business. It was the direct cause of hardship and material financial loss.

Short haul freight that could not be handled by already overtaxed railroads, but which could have been diverted to clear highways, was piled up to aggrevate the already immense congestion.

Becomes National Peril.

Such a condition would be economic folly at any time, but with the nation at war it becomes a national peril.

"Speeding up" is vital to every war activity and to keep all roads open for the increasing traffic they must bear is now virtually a patriotic obligation. The highways transport committee, working in Washington to aid the government in solving problems of freight congestion, is giving active consideration to this subject. It has succeeded through the efforts of its chairman, R. D. Chapin, in getting considerable emergency assistance.

There was a special need of help in making passable these roads traveled by the convoys of motor trucks delivered over the road by government direction. But, according to Mr. Chapin, the problem is one that calls for more than isolated, emergency effort. It must be dealt with comprehensively and preparation be made in advance so that there can be assurance that roads will be open at all times.

Concentration of Effort.

State, municipal, county and township organizations, together with highway associations and good road affiliations of all kinds, should now be concentrating on plans. Such plans should not alone be directed to assure clear roads against snow falls yet to come during the present winter, but also to making sure that traffic next winter shall be safeguarded against the interruption it has just met.

Much has already been done in this direction. Pennsylvania is keeping many of her most important roads free of snow. Ohio, in addition to maintaining a route across the state, is keeping many other important roads clear. Michigan has made a large appropriation from its $5,000,000 war fund to remove snow from all the main routes within its borders.

Immense Traffic This Year.

Every indication points to an immense development of highway traffic in 1918.

From the standpoint of economy it is good practice to keep the roads clear all the year. This practice means a big saving in maintenance costs. It is especially unfortunate that the farmer should allow himself to be blockaded, for in most cases no need exists for it. There is nearly always at hand the equipment to keep the roads clear, providing a start be made in time and proper energy be applied. In the past there has seldom been an organization or facilities to deal with a heavy snowfall. Yet the horses and machinery are all at hand. Road drags and road graders are to be found in nearly every township and there are at hand the men who know how to operate them. Horses would be much better off used in this work than permitted to idle in the stalls.

The main essential is to get started quickly. Just as soon as the snow begins to fall the forces should be put to work. They should be kept at it night and day, if need be. This very much simplifies the problem, for it eliminates the accumulation so hard to deal with.

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Centenary News Items

Mrs. W. D. McDonald, Correspondent

Sunday, March 24, is Rev. M. Dewitt's regular appointment at Centenary. There will be services morning and evening.

H. S. McDowell and family have moved to the George Aley farm north of Maryville. John Anderson and sister, Mrs. Delcia Karnes, will occupy the place vacated by Mr. McDowell. Mr. Anderson had his household goods moved with a Ford tractor, which pulled two heavy loads a distance of 30 miles.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Dawson and son, Edwin, are living on the farm which they recently purchased from Roe Linville.

Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Kelley entertained at dinner Sunday the following guests: W. A. Reed and children, Esther, Vernie and Ernie, and Mr. and Mrs. Roe Linville and daughter, Dorothy Lorene.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Strader entertained at dinner Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Strader and daughter, Ula, of Maryville, C. J. Strader, Maryville, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Strader, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. McDonald and daughters, Eula, Marie and Eudora, Donald Strader and Mrs. H. M. Rickard and children, Maurine, Alma, Ralph, Eldora and Rose Edna. The occasion was in honor of Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Rickard and family who are moving to Grinnell, Iowa.

Mrs. Jerome Cross will leave soon for Burlington, Colo., where she will join her husband in their future home.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Slauson and daughter, Bessie Lee, who have been making their home with Mr. Slauson's mother since their home burned last winter, have moved to their farm where they are preparing to build.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Sharp entertained at dinner Sunday the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. George Sharp Mr. and Mrs. Ed Sharp and daughter Opal Pauline, Mr. and Mrs. Grover Linville and children, George, Ruth, Neva, Alfred and Harlan Edward, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Johnston and Max Woods.

The Woman's Missionary Society will meet April 4 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Collins. This will be dollar day. The last meeting was held at the home of Mrs. Charles Broyles. Those present were Mrs. N. B. Shrewsbury, Mrs. Ed Johnston, Mrs. Ralph Strader and Mrs. Carl Turpin.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Collins and daughter, Pauline, drove to Amazonia Sunday where they spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. Ferdinand Collins.

The ladies forming the Centenary Red Cross auxiliary will appoint a chairman, secretary and treasurer on Wednesday afternoon.

STATE BUYS A PRISON FARM

457 Acres Near Capital Will Be Cultivated by Convicts — Gave $97,000 for the Tract

Jefferson City, March 21.—The old Ewing farm, five miles east of here, has been purchased by the state prison board at the stipulated price of $97,000 on the condition that the legislature will appropriate the money when it meets next year. The state is to take possession of the farm, which comprises 457 acres, at once. By payment of $10,000 down the state will secure 4,000 bushels of corn, 40 tons of hay, 11 mules, 62 hogs and various farm stock and all of the farming machinery. All of the land is under cultivation. Convicts will be employed on the farm.

WILL TEACH DEMOCRACY AND SUPPORT GOVERNMENT

Carrollton, Mo., March 21. — One hundred and thirty-four Carroll county citizens of either German birth or descent have organized the Carroll County Society of Friends of German Democracy for the real purpose of giving organized support to the government and for the spreading of the blessings of democracy among the masses of the German people.

Mrs. Joe Cornell and little son, Rolland, and Mrs. Grace Murray went to Graham yesterday to visit the rest of the week with Mr. and Mrs. Ellwood Miller.

DESPONDENT WOMEN.

Nature intends every woman to be cheerful, light-hearted and happy, but when dragged down with pain and suffering from female ills, will power alone cannot overcome a nervous, despondent condition. Multitudes of American women, however, have found that there is one tried and true remedy to restore health under such circumstances, and that is Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, made from herbs and roots. This old-fashioned medicine is now considered the standard American remedy for such conditions.

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Steel cut oats for chicks, 3½ lbs	25c	6 lb pails lake fish	$1.00
Gallon cans apples	40c	Troco, best butter substitute, 1 lb	35c
10c one-lb. cans baking powder only	5c	Choice white cooking figs, 2 lbs	25c
Mason jar pure apple butter	15c	Grape fruit, fancy Florida, 3 for	25c
Brick cheese, per lb	32c	New bulk olives, mammoth size, pint	25c
Shredded wheat biscuit	12c	New bulk olives, large size, quart	40c
Grape nuts, per pkg	13c	Small Ivory or Fairy soap, 6 bars	38c
Mama's pan cake flour, pkg	9c	Compound (bulk) 2 lbs for	50c
No. 1 tall cans asparagus	15c	Pure home made lard, 2 lbs	60c
1 lb tall cans Chum salmon	18c	Hickory smoked sugar cured hams, per lb	30c
Lima beans, per lb	15c	Lean streaked bacon, 45c kind, piece of 4 to 5 lbs at	39c
1 lb best bulk cocoanut	35c	Sugar cured bacon squares, per lb	32c
1 lb Hershey's bulk cocoa	27c	Shoulders, smoked and sugar cured, per lb	25c
Puffed wheat or rice, pkg	13c	No. 2 cans choice sugar corn	11c
Rumford (1lb) cans baking powder	22c	No. 3 cans Larson's beets	16c
Early June peas, large cans	15c	No. 3 best spinach	23c
Double tip matches, large box	5c		
Imperial codfish, boneless, 1 lb wooden box	30c		

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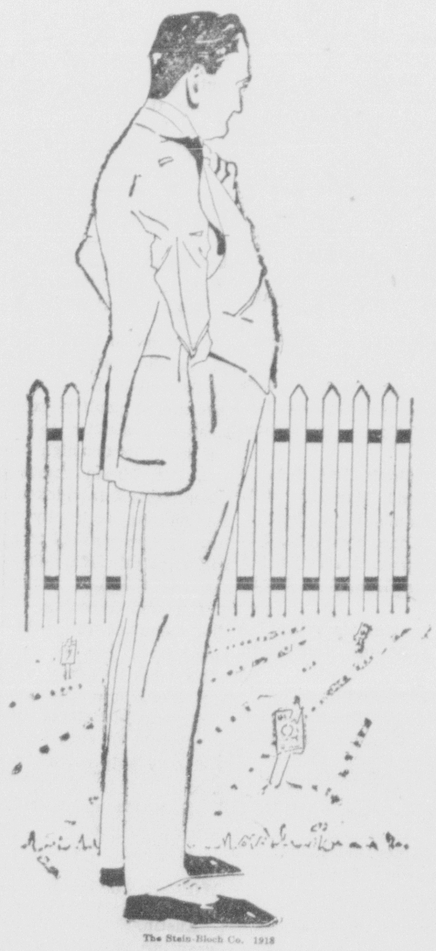

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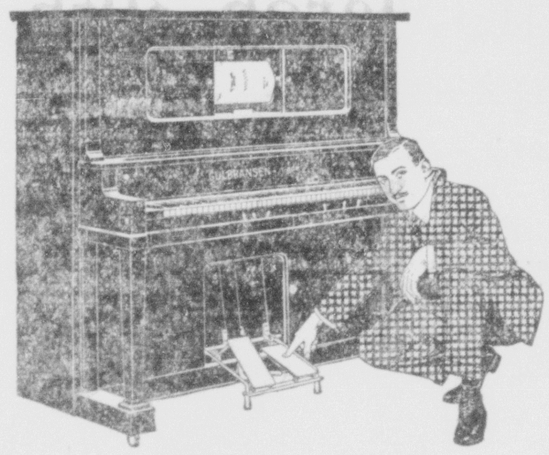

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CORN TESTS WORTH HALF MILLION DOLLARS TO COUNTY

TESTING IS URGED NOW

Sixty Towns and Rural Schools Are Engaged In Making Tests for Farmers Who Will Bring Their Corn

Prof. Ziegler and his boys at the high school are testing seed corn in full blast. About 30 or 35 bushels of corn are stored away in the laboratory which has not yet been taken away. The work is handled in a systematic and orderly manner. When corn is first brought in a receiving committee takes charge of it, sees that it is properly labeled and stored. Other boys then take the corn, spread it out in rows on long tables where little square pieces of card board, which are numbered, is fastened to the end of the cob. While this is being done other boys take the ears that are tagged and remove six kernels from each, three from each side of the ear, and place them in the testing box in the numbered sections corresponding to the number of the ear. As fast as the kernels are removed the ears are taken and strung in numerical order, or corded into racks.

As soon as a box is filled it is labeled with the man's name, the date, number of box and the section where the ears corresponding are stored. At the end of from seven to ten days the corn is ready to read. The saw dust is removed from each six kernels and one boy under the supervision of Prof. Ziegler examines the kernels and reads them to another boy, who records as follows: "Ear No. 1, 4 strong, 1 weak, 1 dead, etc." After the list is finished the sheet is checked over and the ears that show 6 strong, 5 strong and 1 weak or dead, or 4 strong and 2 weak, are laid out and sacked or crated to themselves and marked "Good to Plant." All the other ears are sacked or crated and marked "Bad Ears." The farmer may then take the corn home with him.

Any corn taken to the high school building in sacks or crates with the man's name on them, will be tested, and the farmer notified when the corn is ready to take back. A charge of 35 cents per bushel is made to cover cost of seed boxes. No charge is made for work.

Lasher school, under the direction of Miss Ruby Ruddell, the teacher, is now testing fifteen bushels per week. About 50 to 60 per cent of the corn is good to plant. That means that enough good corn is saved each week to plant 72 acres and at this rate the children will test by May 20, when the planting season should close, enough corn to plant 576 acres.

In the contest conducted last year by the Missouri Corn Growers' Association careful notes were kept on the fields in the contest. Those planted from tested seed showed an average stand of 92.9 per cent and an average yield of 71.33 bushels per acre. The fields planted from untested seed gave an average stand of 72.1 per cent and yielded an average of 52.24 bushels per acre. That was a difference of 19.09 bushels per acre, or $28.63 per acre for testing. At that rate Lasher school will make the district $16,490.88 this year if the farmers will keep them busy from now until May 20.

This work is all done practically during intermissions, and before and after school, the teacher and pupils staying many evenings until 6 o'clock. There are now over sixty schools testing corn in the county. Glendale, Mt. Pleasant, Bell Grove, Conception, Conception Junction, St. Mary's and Green Valley and perhaps many other country schools are testing as much as Lasher. The high schools are testing much more. If the rest of the sixty schools testing in the county only average one-half as much corn tested as this country school will test, basing the amount of value on last year's experiment, counting corn worth $1.50 per bushel, the schools in this work will add in dollars to the county $494,726.40. The total amount of money provided for the whole school system, including building, repairs, incidentals and teachers' salaries the year just closing is $192,867.91. In other words, these sixty schools will contribute to the county 2.8 times as much money as it took to run the whole school system this year. There will be more difference in tested seed and untested seed this year than there was last year so the above figures will be a low estimate upon the value of tested seed this year.

The St. Mary's school near Conception, under the direction of Sister Mary Maura, is not only testing a great quantity of corn for the community, but they have also made a canvass of the district and got many farmers testing at home with the aid of the children, with every farmer in the district pledged not to plant an ear of corn this year that has not been tested.

The great amount of good done by this testing cannot be measured in dollars and cents because it is a war measure of increased food production.

The great trouble is that farmers are not bringing their corn in as rapidly as the testing stations can handle it. When they get ready to plant there will be a great rush and many will not be able to get their corn tested in time to plant it or to plant over, for acres will have to be planted over in spite of all the seed corn agitation that is being made. The government is urging every farmer to rush his corn testing now.

Every township in the county now has a testing station except two. There is no need for any farmer to plant corn this year that has not had an ear-by-ear test.

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MUST KEEP WHEATLESS DAYS

Responsibility of Supplying Grain to the Allies Rests With the Housekeeper

Columbia, March 21.—Are you keeping wheatless Mondays and Wednesdays in your home? The responsibility of supplying our associates in this war with wheat until next summer has now shifted to the shoulders of the American housekeeper, according to the food administration.

The farmer and the shipper have done their work as far as the wheat crop is concerned. The harvest has been gathered, an ample supply reserved for home use and the surplus already has been shipped to France.

There will not be another wheat crop until next summer. From now until then every loaf of bread that finds its way "over there" to the home of a worn and burdened mother or into the outstretched hands of a hungry child will mean that someone here in America has kept wheatless days.

Do not serve rolls, muffins, hot cakes or any kind of bread containing wheat for the entire day. Most of the war breads and Victory bread have one-half or one-third wheat flour. These are meant for other days. If you are going to keep wheatless days wholly you must serve no bread on these days with a grain of wheat in it.

This is being done in patriotic homes from coast to coast. For breakfast and lunch and supper housewives are serving one of the many corn, oatmeal and rice hot breads that require no wheat whatever.

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SWEETHEART'S INITIALS NOW APPEAR ON HOSE

Los Angeles, March 21.—Wearing initials of their soldier sweethearts on their silken hose is the latest fad among the Los Angeles movie stars. The only drawback to the new fashion is caused by complications arising when two girl friends displaying initials of the same soldier chance to meet.

A. G. Brumbaugh of Kansas City returned Tuesday to his home after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Shupe west of Maryville. Miss Florence Brumbaugh will remain until after school closes.

Mrs. Harry Foster of Des Moines Ia., who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. W. T. Garrett, left for her home today.

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"A Shine in Every Drop"

Pickering Circuit M. E. Church.

Next Sunday is launching Sunday in the campaign for $450,000 for the Missouri Wesleyan College at Cameron. The pastors exchange pulpits and others from outside territory come in to assist.

Rev. L. M. Jones of Cameron will speak at Pickering at 7:30 p. m. The pastor will spend the day with the Bolckow charge. We are praying and working for and confidently expecting a great success in the campaign. We hope every member will be ready to do all he can to help. At a meeting of the official board, held at the parsonage March 19, it was voted to proceed at once with the campaign for several hundred dollars to be used in improving and repairing the church property at Pickering; also to plan for a revival meeting to be held during the summer.

We had a good increase in the attendance at Sunday school last Sunday, 151 being present, but we must make it 175 next Sunday to beat last year's record. We can do it if YOU will help. Come and bring someone with you. C. S. DAYHOFF, Pastor.

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provided the time is fast coming when the government, absorbing such huge amounts of money, must either provide a way for independent business to secure funds for its legitimate needs or the government must take over and operate such institutions as it has done with the railroads.

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Turn your clocks forward. Congress has passed the daylight-saving bill. During the period between March 31 and October 27 of each year the days will be one hour longer. This is accomplished by a simple twist of the wrist. Turn your clock forward an hour and you get up at six o'clock instead of seven. You will close your place of business at five o'clock instead of six in the evening, because five o'clock will be six, and you will devote the extra hour to hoeing in the garden. At least that is the theory of the adherents of the bill. Some of the reform societies and chamber of commerce farmers and laborers in the cities have figured that it will effect an increase in food stuffs of tremendous proportions. Farmers, who have been in the habit of getting into the fields at daylight, will be at work an hour earlier because, by their clocks, it will be daylight while it is yet dark.

The proponents of the bill have prepared a dazzling array of figures showing that, by thus fooling ourselves, we will save an amount in coal and other resources beyond mathematical calculation. However that may be, the bill has passed both houses and will become a law as soon as the president signs it. There is no doubt of his approval because he has favored it for many months. Get ready to get up early.

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The order of the war department to stop the publication of home addresses in casualty lists has caused a general protest which will likely secure a modification of the order. The publication of such information in France has been discontinued on the ground that it furnishes valuable information to the enemy. There a list is wired each day to the mayors of the various cities and towns and messengers are sent to notify the parents and guardians of killed and wounded soldiers in person. But the situation is very different here and in France. France adjoins Germany and communication with the enemy is easier and quicker. On the other hand, the country is small, it is close to the scene of action and the direct plan of notification can be made more practical and acceptable.

The United States is three thousand miles across the sea from the fighting lines. The country is a vast one, three thousand miles from coast to coast. When people see the casualty lists they want to know if John Jones is the John Jones they know and are interested in. Names are meaningless without the addresses and, in the judgment of the the writer, the omission of this slight means of identification will cause more grief, anxiety and injury here than it will do good to the kaiser to print them.

It is difficult, also, to see what it amounts to, if Germany should know just where every unfortunate boy is from. The army of the United States is fighting as one army all mixed together. One company may have men from every state in the Union. The style and plan of fighting is the same because there is but one style. In Germany the Saxons, the Bavarians, the Austrians and the various divisions made up of men of different states and different breeds are fighting as distinct units. Each has its own peculiar plan of operation and its own style of attack, so that it means something to know that a thousand men of a certain class or country have fallen on a certain occasion. But, with this country, no such benefit exists. Americans are all fighting as Americans, and that is all there is to it. It makes no difference whether they are from Dakota or Florida, they are trained in the same way, are obeying the same general orders, and there is just as much bravery and heroism in one state as another.

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It may be comforting to some making out their income tax statements for the first time to know that John D. Rockefeller will have to pay to the government this year $38,400,000 as income tax. That disposes of the talk that the war revenue measure bears more heavily upon the poor man. Incomes of $2,000,000 and over are subject not only to the ordinary income tax but to the excess profits tax and to a surtax of sixty-three per cent. Because of this fact Mr. Rockefeller will pay into the United States treasury this year almost as much as the total income tar of the country amounted to in 1915. Thirty of the wealthiest persons in the country will pay a total of about $124,500,000 this year, which is four-fifths of the total income tax receipts last year.

70 MEN IN CLASS 1-A

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Charley A. Crigger, Maryville, 2-C.
Peter Bloom, Barnard, 2-C.
Fred Arthur Barsball, Conception Junction, 2-C.
Jesse Roy Deason, Conception Junction, 1-A.
Edward Walter Fahanuer, Conception Junction, 1-A.
Dock Hawkins, Quitman, 1-A.
Byron Williams, Quitman, 1-A.
Charley H. Rockwell, Skidmore, 1-A.
Melvin Reece, Skidmore, 3-J.
Ray E. Barker, Grainfield, Kans., 1-A.
James O'Brien, Ravenwood, 2-C.
Cyrus Bethal Cole, Burlington Jct., 2-C.
Jerry O'Connell, Maryville, 1-A.
Archie David Hubbell, Barnard, 1-A.
Ralph H. Wright, Skidmore, 1-A.
Clarence M. Merrigan, Guilford, 3-J.
William Warden Linebaugh, Clearmont, 1-D.
Arley Ambert Robey, Parnell, 3-J.
Howard William Patterson, Maryville, 2-C.
Hubert Standley Corken, Burlington Junction, 2-C.
Earl Christopher Finnell, Clearmont, 1-A.
Frank Rhodes, Clearmont, 1-I.
Virgil Victor Hardisty, Barnard, 2-C.
Lloyd John LaMar, Elmo, 3-J.
Edwin Baldwin Hamilton, Elmo, 3-J.
Harlan Francis White, Clearmont 1-I.
Abraham, J. Siemens, Fairview, Ok 2-C.
Vern V. Cayton, Guilford, 1-A.
George D. Montgomery, Washington D. C., 3-H.
Julius Strueby, Jr., Conception, 1-A.
Ray Henry Taylor, Maryville, 1-A.
Charles Lawrence Holker, Hopkins 1-A.
Claude Augustus Grotey, Hopkins 3-J.
Kery Lester Shell, Hopkins, 2-C.
George Leslie Nelson, Barnard, 1-A.
Noah Orval Nelson, Barnard, 1-A.
Charles Anderson, Graham, 1-A.
Claude Christian, Graham, 1-A.
Floyd Andrew Meyers, Clearmont, 1-A.
George Ferguson McElwee, Nodaway, Iowa, 1-A.
Joseph Herman Groves, Maryville, 1-A.
Frank Arthur Drydale, Barnard, 1-A.
Samuel Mires, Elmo, 1-A.
Ross Robert Killam, Hopkins, 1-A.
John Frank Bithos, Maryville, 1-A.
Thomas Waechter, Barnard, 2-C.
Thomas Clarence Davis, Conception Junction, 1-A.
James P. Cox, Graham, 1-A.
John James Bloom, Barnard, 3-J.
Ernest Arthur Riley, Burlington Junction, 1-A.
Leroy Smith, Quitman, 1-A.
Bernard T. Muse, Parnell, 1-I.
John McKeague Speer, Clearmont, 2-C.
Vere Albert Hall, Hopkins, 2-C.
Clarence Wells, Stanberry, 4-C.
Ross Needham, Elmo, 3-J.
John Fleuchaus, Maywood, Ill., 1-A.
John Harding Lindsay, Sheridan, 2-C.

Mrs. Haller Improved.

Mrs. Guy Haller, who underwent an operation in a hospital at Kirksville about a week ago, is very much improved at this time.

Mrs. John Messbarger and two children of Burlington Junction were among the out of town people in Maryville yesterday.

Miss Rena Derrickson of Blockton, Iowa, is the guest of her cousin, Miss Ida Campbell.

Mrs. A. C. Garten of Albany is visiting her daughter, Mrs. T. A. Cummins of Maryville.

OH! THAT AWFUL BACKACHE IT'S YOUR KIDNEYS

An unhealthy body, and the unhappiness and misery which follow, may be prevented by ordinary judgment and care. Keep your stomach and kidneys in shape and you will have good health. The kidneys' work is to throw off the poisonous matters which enter the body. If they perform this work regularly and automatically the other organs will take care of themselves.

Diseased conditions of the bladder or kidneys are indicated by nervousness, sleeplessness, that tired, wornout feeling, dizziness, nauses, backache, lumbago, rheumatism, pain in the lower abdomen, many so-called "female troubles," severe pain and discomfort when urinating, bloody, cloudy and stringy urine, too frequent or suppressed passages. All these are nature's signals to warn you of diseased kidneys or bladder, which may lead to fatal Bright's disease.

Don't wait until the danger is upon you. Go to your druggist at once. Get a trial box of GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules. They are made of the pure, original, imported Haarlem Oil, the kind your great-grandfather used. About two capsules each day will keep you toned up and feeling fine. Money refunded if they do not help you. But remember to ask for the imported GOLD MEDAL Brand. In sealed packages.

Special EASTER SALE

Everyone likes to look their best on Easter Sunday. We offer you a great many bargains in order to induce you to do your Easter buying in this store.

Sale Starts Saturday, March 23 and Ends Saturday Night, March 30th

SILKS

Here are some real Easter bargain in silks. The special prices will hold good for this sale only.

36 inch Satin Messaline silks, black and all colors, per yard only.....$1.35
36 inch taffeta silks in nearly all the plain colors, our regular $1.75 quality will be, per yard only.....$1.49
40 inch crepe de chine, the very best quality, per yard only.....$1.49
40 inch georgette crepe in all colors and the quality that is worth $2.25 a yard, during this sale only, per yard.....$1.89
All fancy silks, including figured, plaids and stripes, will be reduced during this Great Easter Sale.
$2.25 fancy silks, now only per yard.....$1.89
$2.00 fancy silks, now only per yard.....$1.69
$1.75 fancy silks, now only per yard.....$1.49
$1.50 fancy silks, now only per yard.....$1.29

BLACK SILKS

All our black silks will be reduced during this sale.

$2.50 black taffeta silk will be only per yd $2.19
$2.00 black taffeta silk will be only per yd $1.79
$1.75 black taffeta silk will be only per yd $1.59
$1.50 black taffeta silk will be only per yd $1.29
One small lot of fancy colored, brocaded crepe de chine and figured fancy silks, these silks are all 36 inches to 40 inches wide, will be closed out during the Easter Sale at only, per yard 55c
36 inch black and colored silk poplins, per yard only 89c

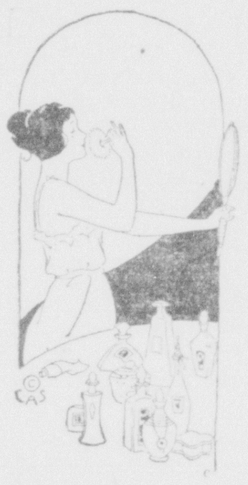
SKIRTS

Skirts promise to be very popular this Spring and we have bought skirts accordingly. We offer very special values in taffeta silk skirts. Some are plain color in navy blue and black, others are fancy stripes and plaids, which we will offer for this sale only, at the low price of $3.98.

Other skirts in a wide range of styles, colors and materials up to $25.00.

TOILET ARTICLES

50c Pompeian Massage Cream.....39c
75c Pompeian Night Cream.....69c
Melba Face Powder.....39c
La Blache Face Powder.....39c
Melbaline Face Powder.....19c
25c Williams' Toilet Water.....19c
50c Williams' Toilet Water.....39c
Melba Toilet Water.....69c
Melba Cold Cream.....39c
Melba Skin Cleanser.....39c
Palm Olive Soap.....10c
Woodbury's Facial Soap.....19c
Woodbury's Facial Cream.....19c
Woodbury's Face Powder.....19c
Colgate's Palm Soap.....8c
Dr. Charles' Flesh Food.....19c
Non Spi 39c



Djer Kiss Talcum.....29c
Djer Kiss Toilet Water.....$1.25
Djer Kiss Face Powder.....60c
Cutex Nail Bleach.....19c
Cutex Nail Polishing Paste.....19c
Cutex Nail Enamel.....19c
Cutex Cuticle Remover 19c
Birt's Head Wash.....19c
Williams' Shampoo 19c
Kolynos Tooth Paste.....19c
Pebecco Tooth Paste.....39c
4711 Soap 19c
Cuticura Soap 19c
Colgate's Ribbon Dental Cream, large size..19c
All Vantine Toilet articles 20 per cent off.
All the leading brands of talcum powders — Colgate's, Williams', Lazell's, etc, per can 14c

SILK GLOVES

We have a very complete line of Kayser Silk Gloves at per pair, from.....65c to $1.50

KID GLOVES

Buy your kid gloves at this Special Easter Sale.
Orlando kid gloves in white, black and gray, only $2.20
Virginia kid gloves in different colors per pair only $2.45

HOSIERY

Everyone wants new hosiery for Easter Sunday. Our stock of hosiery has never been so large and complete as now; be sure and buy your Easter Hosiery at this store and save money.

THREAD

J. & P. Coats', the best six-cord spool cotton thread at this store always.....4c

CLOAKS AND SUITS

We are showing the largest and handsomest line of ladies' cloaks and suits that we have ever had. You will find our cloaks and suits just a little different in style, just a little better in quality, just a little lower in price and a most wonderful assortment to select from. Don't fail to see our wonderful assortment of cloaks and suits.

CURTAIN MATERIALS

Here is an opportunity for you to have new curtains at a small price.
One lot of plain colored marquisettes and lace effects and colored curtain goods, some of these are worth up to 50c a yard, in order to close out we have made the low price of, per yard, only 15c
We show a beautiful line of other curtain materials up to $1.48 a yard.

SILK DRESSES

One big lot of silk dresses in most all colors and all the new silks, including foulards, taffeta, georgette, crepe de chine, and the new gingham silks.
We made a very special purchase of these dresses, therefore giving you the advantage of our buying power. Your choice of this entire lot of dresses during this sale only.....$11.75
We show a very extensive line of other dresses up to $55.00. If it is a dress that you want, you certainly can be pleased at this store.

Haines Haines Haines

The Only Spot Cash and One Price Dry Goods Store in Nodaway County.

Beautiful New Skirts Just Arrived

THAT WE KNOW WILL PLEASE YOU.

We heard a lady say a few days ago she wanted a nice skirt, but could not find anything in town she liked. It is rather boastful for a small town merchant to say he has the most beautiful merchandise imaginable and as a rule we do not say this in our advertisements, but we believe we are safe in saying that we will have this season the most beautiful skirts ever brought to Maryville. The materials used are beautiful and they have been worked up in most becoming styles entirely different from other seasons.

Our silk skirts are priced from.....$5.00 to $19.75
Materials used are—

—Plain and Stripe Taffetas.
—Foulards.
—Silk and Wool Poplins.
—Washable Satins
—Crepe de Chine.
—Baronette Satin.

We are also showing fancy materials in black only that you have not seen before and which are entirely new.

D. R. Eversole & Son

IS CITY TOO POOR?

(Continued from page 1.)

poor to buy a flag I don't think it ought to be left to the Scouts to get out and get the money for it. Seems to me the mayor and members of the council could at least appropriate enough money to buy one without having to have somebody solicit for it, as it looks pretty cheap. If the Scouts are willing to see that the flag is kept flying in honor of the boys who are serving their country in the trenches, it looks like the city could buy the flag. What do you say, Mr. Mayor and Aldermen?

"ONE WHO GAVE."

(The Boy Scouts have been looking after the raising of the flag daily for the past five months. When the old flag became torn and unfit for further use, and in the absence of an offer by the city to furnish another, offered to receive donations from those who desired to give that a new flag might be had. No one has been solicited by the Scouts. The Scoutmaster reports that $5.75 has been donated to date. A new flag costing about $20 was ordered over a week ago through a local firm).

Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Bartram went to St. Joseph on business today.

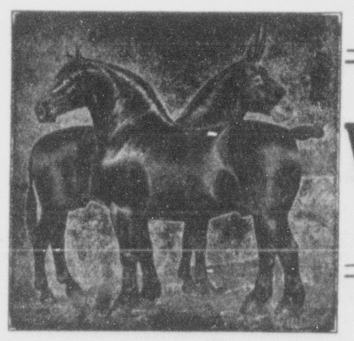
They're Here Men!

With Easter only a week away it's time you were looking into your Spring Clothes needs. We have on hand a very large stock of Men's and Young Men's Suits, priced at from $5 to $8 under the present market value.

PRICES RANGE
$15 to $25

We also have a splendid stock of Spring Hats, Shirts, Shoes at unusually Reasonable Prices.

M. Nusbaum



Wanted

Horses, Mares and Mules

100 Mares and Geldings, weighing 1200 to 1600. Mares 4 to 8 years old. Will buy them in foal and gelding 5 to 9 years old.

100 Mules, 3 to 10 years old, 15 hands and up.

IF YOU WANT TO SELL, BRING THEM IN OR PHONE ME, AND IF YOU WANT TO BUY, COME AND SEE ME.
Show them to me—I have no agents.

Show me your good ones in any class. I will not buy any thin, cheap, blemished crap shooters.

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Hanamo 31
Farmers 161

Jim Andy Ford

Society and Clubland

By MISS LUTA MOODY
Hanamo 42. Farmers 114.

Regular Meeting.

The Eastern Star lodge will meet at 7:30 o'clock Friday night at the I. O. O. F. hall.

Entertained for Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Anderson entertained at dinner today in honor of their nephew, J. R. Anderson, who is home from Fort Sill on a furlough.

Entertain Saturday Evening.

Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Townsend entertained a few friends Saturday night at their home in honor of Mr. and Mrs. John Koch of St. Joseph. The evening was spent socially. The guests were: Mrs. Isabel Worst and daughters Miss Allie and Mrs. N. C. Covey, Dr. and Mrs. Koch and daughter, Miss Martha, Mrs. C. D. Hooker, Mrs. Hal Hooker and daughter, Haleyon, and Mrs. J. N. Manley.

Entertained for Sister.

Mrs. J. J. Armstrong entertained at dinner yesterday in honor of her sister, Dr. Mary Krom of Howells, N. Y. The guests included: Mrs. H. J. Lind, Mrs. J. B. Johnston, Mrs. R. E. Thomas, Mrs. F. F. Callen, C. C. Thompson of Covington, Okla., Genevieve and Mary Callen and Fred and Mina Armstrong. Dr. Krom leaves today for Clinton, Ia., where she will visit her brothers, J. H. and C. W. Walliker, and from there she will go to her home.

Miss McCall Weds.

Mr. and Mrs. C. P. McCall, 416 East Sixth street, announce the marriage of their daughter, Mary Annice, to Kyle P. Phares, yesterday afternoon at Washington, D. C., near where Mr. Phares has been stationed for several months. After a few weeks in Washington Mrs. Phares will return to Maryville, and resume her work as society reporter for the Maryville Tribune. Mr. Phares expects to leave soon for overseas duty.

Hurst-Wallace Wedding.

Miss Stella Hurst, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dallas Hurst, of near Elmo and Dr. L. E. Wallace of Burlington Junction, were married at 8 o'clock last night at the home of the bride's parents, the Rev. Ernest Snyder, pastor of the Methodist church at Burlington Junction officiating. The bride was prettily dressed in white crepe de chine, with silver trimmings. Decorations of pink and white beautified the house, and dining table, where dainty refreshments in the same color scheme were served to about sixty guests. The bride, who is a teacher in the public schools at Burlington Junction, will resume her work tomorrow. Dr. and Mrs. Wallace will make their home there.

Sunday Dinner Guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Alva Ingels entertained Sunday at their home five and one-half miles northwest of Pickering. Their guests were: Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Lincoln, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Long, Leon and James Long, all of Burlington Junction; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ulmer, Gracie, Helen, Ray, Flora and Mary Ulmer of Pickering, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Schooler, Delmar, Fred and Marie Schooler of Maryville, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Ingels of Hopkins were afternoon guests.

Play for Benefit of Red Cross.

A play under the directions of Miss Helen Wilson of St. Joseph will be given Saturday night at the Christian church at Pickering. A small admission will be given, the proceeds to go to the Red Cross.

Entertained Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Gingrich and daughter, Miss Ada entertained at 12 o'clock dinner Sunday at their home on West Seventh street. Their guests were: Miss Hazel Hobbs of St. Joseph, Miss Anna Cornell of Burlington Junction and Mrs. Fred Winell and children of Wilcox.

Celebrate Birthdays.

Mrs. Josephine Yehle was the hostess of a dinner given Monday night in joint celebration of her 78th birthday and the 18th birthday anniversary of her grandson, Ralph Yehle. This dinner is one of the annual family events and the company included Mr. and Mrs. Conrad W. Yehle and sons, Eugene, Ralph, Carlos and Cleo, Mrs. J. Yehle and daughters, Katherine and Theresa.

BREEDERS ACTIVE

LOCAL ABERDEEN - ANGUS MEN EXHIBIT IN SALES RINGS

Nodaway county will be strongly represented at the annual spring bull shows and sales of the American Aberdeen-Angus Breeders' Association, to be held at Omaha, April 3, and at Chicago, March 27. Some of our leading breeders of Aberdeen Angus also expect to attend the East St. Louis sale on March 26, the St. Joseph sale April 4 and the Sioux City sale April 2, with the idea of bringing back to this county more of these great beef cattle to help boost the fame of Nodaway county in the pre-bred cattle business.

Davis Bros., and Hal T. Hooker of Maryville are consigning bulls to these sales. Davis Bros. consigning five bulls to the St. Joseph sale and Mr. Hooker consigning three to the South Omaha sale. E. G. Byergo is also consigning two bulls to the St. Joseph sale. Mr. Byergo is from Barnard.

W. W. Andrews, Maryville; Ballard Bros., Clyde; Julius Berg, Parnell; W. A. Berg, Parnell; E. W. Bishop, Ravenwood; W. E. Brittain, Clyde; C. D. & E. F. Caldwell, Burlington Junction; Omer Catterson, Maryville; A. Collins & Son, Quitman; Conrad & Day, Parnell; D. D. Cort, Parnell; J. C. Fryar & Sons, Ravenwood; Harden & Morris, Quitman; John G. Hays, Skidmore; Sam A. Jones, Burlington Junction; J. R. King & Son, Hopkins; E. A. Montgomery, Quitman; and E. S. Shupe, Maryville, are breeders who are interested and who may attend.

"The Aberdeen-Angus are the greatest beef breed in the world," says Mr. Davis, in commenting on the showing of Nodaway county breeders in these big events. "At the greatest live stock show in the world, the International Live Stock Exposition at Chicago, the grand championships over all breeds are won year after year by Aberdeen Angus. In sixteen years they have won thirteen out of a possible sixteen grand championships on carloads of fat steers; fifteen out of sixteen grand championships for carcass of a finished animal; and ten out of sixteen grand championships for single steer. At the 1917 International Aberdeen-Angus made the most phenomenal sweep of grand championships over all breeds ever witnessed. Not only did the grand championship for fat carload go to the 'Doddies,' but the reserve grand championship and the reserve to the reserve grand championship—the three best loads of cattle of the year were Aberdeen-Angus. The grand champion load sold for the world's record price of $42.50 a hundred pounds on the hoof, $24.50 a hundred pounds over the price at which the best load of Shorthorns sold, and $22.50 above the best load of Herefords. But to make the superiority still more pronounced in favor of the Aberdeen-Angus, the grand champion load of feeders and the grand champion load of short fed cattle were also Aberdeen-Angus. Do you wonder why Nodaway county breeders are getting hold of the black ones?"

Will Visit Parents.

Mrs. I. T. Pryor, Jr., of Fort Stockton, Texas, is expected to arrive today for a visit with her parents, Judge and Mrs. W. C. Ellison.

Mrs. Susanna Cartwright of Brownstown, Ind., is visiting in Maryville with her sister, Mrs. Emeline Gibbins, and her niece, Mrs. George A Pickens.

J. S. Casteel of Ravenwood was in Maryville Wednesday.

Alderman-Yehle Dry Goods Co.

WEST THIRD STREET, MARYVILLE, MO.

Spring Merchandise of Special Interest

THE entire store is literally filled to overflowing with new Spring Creations that should be of interest to you at this time.

We list here only a few items to give you an idea of the values we are giving and of the extensive assortments we have collected.

SPRING BOOTS

You will want a pair of the new spring boots to wear with your new Easter apparel. We have a beautiful collection of new style boots in brown, tan, gray and black at the pair.....$9.00

DRESS GINGHAMS

A very extensive assortment of Toile DuNord Gingham in the new colors and combinations, 27 inches wide, at the yard.....30c

MAYBOURNE MADRAS

A beautiful wash fabric suitable for dresses, fast colors in plaid and stripes, 32 inches wide, at the yard 50c

FANCY SILKS

Exceptional assortment of Fancy Taffeta and Goldenrod Foulard, beautiful colors in stripes, plaids and figures, 36 inches wide, the yard $2.50

FIBRE SILK HOSE

Ladies' fibre silk hose, four thread heel and toe, black, white, pearl gray and brown, all sizes, at the pair 65c

UNDERMUSLINS

Large assortment of Muslin Skirts, Gowns, Marguerite Combination Suits and Ladies' Athletic Suits, unusual values at.....$1.00

VIRGINIA GLOVES

We now have a very large assortment of "Virginia" Kid Gloves; black, white and colors, pair $2.75

HANDKERCHIEFS

Special assortment of fancy crepe silk and linen initial handkerchiefs for laides, at each.....25c

SILK PETTICOATS

One assortment of silk petticoats in plain colors and changeable effects, a special value at $5.00

SILK BLOUSES

Beautiful new blouses in wash taffeta, Crepe de Chine and Georgette Crepe, white and colors, assorted sizes, at each.....$5.00

EASTER HATS

We hae assembled an assortment of Easter hats on a table for easy selection. They are both large and small and have the new style effects, at each.....$5.00

TOILET WATER AND FACE POWDER

Richard Hudnut's toilet water in Violet, Sweet Orchid Rose Omar, Royal Hudnutine, White Lilac, and Gardenia odors, and face powder in Sweet Orchid and Gardenia, at each.....$1.00

SPRING COATS

An exceptional assortment of Spring Coats has been assembled for your selection, the very latest weaves, colors and style touches are to be found in this lot, at each $25.00

TAILORED SUITS

We have collected an unusual assortment of new spring Suits in Wooltex and other high grade makes, new weaves and colorings, latest style features, at each $29.50

CORSETS

The Corset Department is now displaying a large collection of new style corsets in front lace and back lace models, Royal Worcester and American Lady, real values at each.....$2.50

WINDOW HANGINGS

See our display in west show window of curtain nets and overdrapes that we have assembled for Spring selling—a very special value at the yard.....50c

LINOLEUMS

A big showing of twelve foot wide printed linoleum, good patterns, E and D quality, at the square yard 85c—or the running yard $3.40

WOOL AND FIBRE RUGS

Anyone interested in wool and fibre rugs cannot help being pleased with the new assortment we just received. They are in various qualities, but the one of special interest is the 9x12 size in heavy weight, beautiful new patterns, a wonderful value at each $19.50

WALL PAPERS

Never have we assembled more beautiful papers than this season. There are papers here for any room. Of special interest is our assortment of new designs at the roll.....15c, 20c and 25c

NEED RETIRED TEACHERS

U. S. Commissioner of Education In Letter Urges Their Return to Fill Up Vacancies

That laws or ordinances prohibiting married women from teaching in the public schools be suspended or repealed in order to afford a supply of teachers to replace the large number leaving the schools for war work is recommended by P. P. Claxton, United States commissioner of education, in a letter sent to the county school authorities.

Commissioner Claxton points out that from every part of the country come reports of the large number of teachers leaving the schools to enter some primary or secondary military service of the country or to engage in clerical, commercial or industrial occupations at salaries or wages much larger than they received as teachers. On the other hand, reports from the normal schools indicate that the number of students graduating from them this spring will be less than last year

In order that the teachers thus returning to the service may be thoroughly in touch with new demands in education Dr. Claxton suggests that summer schools provide special classes for these former etachers and make special effort to induce as many as possible of them to attend.

A Stubborn Cough Loosens Right Up

This home-made remedy is a wonder for quick results. Easily and cheaply made.

The prompt and positive action of this simple, inexpensive home-made remedy in quickly healing the inflamed or swollen membranes of the throat, chest or bronchial tubes and breaking up tight coughs, has caused it to be used in more homes than any other cough remedy. Under its healing, soothing influence, chest soreness goes, phlegm loosens, breathing becomes easier, tickling in throat stops and you get a good night's restful sleep. The usual throat and chest colds are conquered by it in 24 hours or less. Nothing better for bronchitis, hoarseness, croup, whooping cough, bronchial asthma or winter coughs.

To make this splendid cough syrup, pour 2½ ounces of Pinex (60 cents worth), into a pint bottle and fill the bottle with plain granulated sugar syrup and shake thoroughly. You then have a full pint—a family supply—of a much better cough syrup than you could buy ready-made for $2.50. Keeps perfectly and children love its pleasant taste.

Pinex is a special and highly concentrated compound of genuine Norway pine extract, and is known the world over for its promptness, ease and certainty in overcoming stubborn coughs and chest colds.

To avoid disappointment ask your druggist for "2½ ounces of Pinex" with full directions, and don't accept anything else. Guaranteed to give absolute satisfaction or money promptly refunded. The Pinex Co., Ft. Wayne, Ind.

Soldier's Letters

LONESOMENESS IS TERRIBLE

Capt. E. S. Cook Says That Homesickness Is Hardest Thing to Fight

Capt. E. S. Cook, formerly with the Maryville Business College, writes the Democrat-Forum an interesting letter from Italy, where he is in the disbursing quartermaster's department. His letter follows:

"Eighth Aviation Camp,
"Italy, Feb. 15, 1918.

"The Democrat-Forum:

"What Sherman said about war is right. The hardest thing I have found is the terrible loneliness. We have plenty to do and there is always plenty doing, but somehow a fellow gets homesick occasionally. My last news from America was dated December 24. They were putting up the Christmas tree. I received it February 10. Makes a fellow think he's a long, long way from the good old U. S. A.

Here I am in Italy. Little did I dream that I would ever see Rome; but I did—I had two hours worth—and I expect to get there again. I have seen many other things that I never expected to see — some very grand and some very 'horrible. No doubt greater things are yet in store for me.

After four months in France, where I was put 'hors de combat,' I was ordered to Italy. My job is that of disbursing quartermaster, and I also disburse signal corps funds. I am having some fun in learning the 'lingo,' counting out the 'lire' and getting acquainted with the charming, dark-eyed, olive-skinned senoritas. Everybody here, as in France, loves the American soldier, because the American soldier is the best paid soldier in the world; he has money; he is rich and clever—and a good spender. The Americans will never be forgotten.

I am stationed three miles from a quaint old town of eighty thousand. Where, I may not tell you, except in Italy. If you have time to write, and I hope you will, mail addressed as below will reach me in a month or six weeks.

"Sincerely,
ELLIS S. COOK.
"Captain Qm. U. S. R.
"American Expeditionary Forces,
"France."

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MEATLESS MONTHS IN SIGHT

P. Q. Foy, Food Statistician, Says There Is a Possibility of Food Famine Next Summer and High Prices

June, July and August may be meatless months. P. Q. Foy, food statistician, says that unless the available beef supply of the United States is increased there is a certainty of pyramiding prices and a possible meat famine next year.

Eggs should be substituted for beef during the three summer months, the statistician advised. He estimates that because of the order forbidding the killing of hens before May 1 there will be 360,000,000 more eggs available. There will also be an increase of 60,000,000 pounds of available poultry.

Mr. Foy predicted important price declines in the fresh vegetable market this week, due to heavy receipts.

Heard Harry Lauder In St. Joseph.

The following Maryville peopl heard Harry Lauder at the Lyceum theatre, St. Joseph, Monday night: Mr and Mrs. Will J. Montgomery, Mr and Mrs. Bruce Montgomery, Miss Ruth Montgomery, Lawrence Ogden, Prof. and Mrs. J. M. McDonald, L. J Shultz, R. M. Magee, Misses Edna Bonewitz, Nelle Hudson, Alicia Keeler Mabel Wells and Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Beattie.

M'DOUGAL TO NEW JOB

Former Maryville Newspaper Man With Jefferson Highway Ass'n.

Herbert F. McDougal, a reporter for the Gazette for several years, has been appointed field secretary of the Jefferson Highway association, which has its headquarters in St. Joseph. He expects to leave in two weeks for a motor car trip with J. D. Clarkson, general manager of the association, over the southern division of the highway, St. Joseph to New Orleans. They expect to return to St. Joseph early in July and then cover the northern division to Winnipeg. Efforts are being made by the association to have the entire highway hard-surfaced. Some of it already is paved.

Graham M. E. Church Notes.

Services Sunday, March 24 as follows:

Graham:—Sunday School at 10:00 a. m. Rev. G. P. Sturges of Maitland will speak at 11 a. m. on the subject of Christian Education.

Mt. Zion:—Sunday School at 10:00 a. m. Rev. A. S. Olsen of Barnard will speak at 11 a. m.

Rockford:—Sunday School at 10:00 a. m. The pastor will speak on the subject of the Christian College at 7:30 p. m.

This service will take the place of the 3 o'clock service.

Let every member be present at these services. It is important that you be there. Bring some one with you. Come! Be a booster.

REV. E. W. CROY, Pastor.

Leave for New Home.

Mr. and Mrs. Murlan R. McClurg and little son, Irvin, of Pickering, who have been visiting friends and relatives at Barnard and Graham, returned to Maryville Monday morning and visited Mrs. McClurg's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Chappel, until last evening when they left for Pine Bluffs, Wyo. At Pine Bluffs they will join Mr. McClurg, who has located on a farm near Pine Bluffs. Mr. and Mrs. McClurg have many friends who wish them luck in their new home.

The Practical
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—for—
The Farmer

LION BRAND Work Shoes are the practical shoes for the farmer, because they are made to meet his particular need. Being twice tanned HARDY HIDE, these shoes will stand the hardest use you can put them to.

If you are looking for a shoe that will wear and at the same time be comfortable, you will want to see

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Good coffe, lb	25c	Toilet paper, roll	5c
Matches, large box	5c	Coat hangers	5c
Swift's washing powder	5c	Skirt hangers	5c
Swift's cleanser	5c	Ward robe hooks, 4 for	5c
Clothes pins, 30 for	5c	Glycerine soap	5c
Scrub brushes	5c	Cocoa nut oil	5c

Time To Think of Spring Needs

Every household will need many items for Spring and Summer use. It will pay you to look us over before you buy and see the many low priced articles we have to show you.

WE SHOW
Spring Millinery at the lowest prices.
Muslin Under garments at the lowest prices.
All kinds Hosiery at the lowest prices.
Knit Underwear at the lowest prices.
House Dresses at the lowest prices.
Children's Dresses at the lowest prices.
Shirt Waists at the lowest prices.

WE SHOW
Ladies' Skirts at the lowest prices.
Ladies' Petticoats at the lowest prices.
Many kinds of Piece Goods at the lowest prices.
Men's and Boys' Shirts at the lowest prices.
Rompers and Play Suits at the lowest prices.

You May Need		You May Need		You May Need	
White wash brushes	15c	Galvanized sprinklers	69c	Collapsible lunch baskets each	10c
Sponges	5c, 10c, 15c	Galvanized pails	39c	Tin pails	25c
Tack hammers	10c	Clothes baskets	29c	Tin wash pans	29c
Tack pullers	10c	Wood candy pails	10c	Granite wash bowls	25c
Hatchets	10c	Flat iron holders	10c	Galvanized foot tubs	75c
Hammers	15c	Stove polish	10c	China slop jars	75c
Carpet tacks	5c	Scrub brushes	10c	Mirrors	15c and up
Broom holders	10c	Hand scales	10c	Carpet beaters	10c
Asbestos table mats	10c	Wood mallets	10c	China bed pans	98c
Screen door springs	5c	Dust pans	10c	Wash boilers	$1.10
Screen door hinges	10c	Peroxide	10c	Good brooms	69c
Toilet paper holders	5c	Match boxes	10c	Toy brooms	19c
Paper holders	10c	Soldering sets	15c	Jardinieres	15c
Flower sprinklers	10c				

Be Sure and Try Our Finely Flavored Advertiser Coffee at 25c Per Pound

Hardware for the Garden and The Home

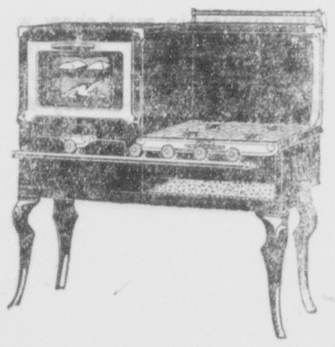
The time has now arrived to start making your garden and your results will largely depend on your having the proper tools with which to cultivate.

We carry a complete line of Garden Tools, Seeds, Hose, etc., at very moderate prices.

Among the garden tools the hand plow is one of the most useful, having attachments for plowing, planting and cultivating. It is a very efficient tool and will save you much time and labor in keeping the garden properly cultivated.

FOR THE HOME

A more necessary or desirable convenience could not be added than a



Detroit Vapor Stove

It does away with all the drudgery of the wood or coal stove and makes summer cooking more of a pleasure than a task. There could not be a stove easier to use or more direct or positive in its performance.

It burns either oil or gasoline—forming a gas which burns close under the cooking without loss of heat and as quickly as desired without heating up the whole kitchen, as in the case of the coal stove.

REFRIGERATORS, WASHING MACHINES, COOKING UTENSILS

—Saturday Only—Ripping Bars—

We have a quantity of RIPPING BARS—a most handy tool—sold the world over at not less than 50 cents.
SATURDAY ONLY 35c

Garrett Hardware Co.
ENGLAND & SAWYER, Props.

MOTHER.

There is one more flower in the garden of love,
Where the song of God is known —
One more spirit has wafted Above,
And passed beside His throne;
Our mother has gone to her Eternal Home,
For her work down here is done—
She has gone to the Land of Never Roam,
Where the Bell of Cheer is rung.

Love may come as the summer breeze
That kisses the prairie flower—
To make our life like the crimson leas,
And help us forget the hour;
But we will never forget the words of cheer,
Nor the voice like a silver harp;
We will never forget you, Mother, dear,
You will never leave our heart.

We will never forget your last prayer,
The night the Savior came—
Asking that your children share
The flowers in God's Great Lane.
We will never forget the days gone by,
When you taught us in words so rare,
Of how the Savior had to die
To win a home Up There.

We cannot sit at the mourner's place,
Nor weep where your body rests—
We know you are happier in His Grace,
With your babies at your breast.
We can not say farewell, Mother, dear, to thee;
You have not gone away.
You are just as near as you used to be,
When you watched us in our play.

Written in memory of their Mother, Mrs. James A. Whitehurst, who died near Deerfield, Kansas, Oct. 30, 1917, by her children, Rexie, Claude, Dale and Harry.

J. C. Farley of St. Joseph is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Donahue.

CROUP
Spasmodic croup is usually relieved with one application of—
Keep a Little Body Guard in Your Home
VICK'S VAPORUB

BE SURE YOUR SEED IS GOOD

Farmers Who Plant Untested Seed Will Stand to Suffer Loss In a Reduced Yield

Jefferson City, March 21.—From the basis of 3,556 hills of corn to the acre every per cent of dead corn planted in Missouri will mean a loss of 35.5 pounds of corn per acre. It will mean a loss of 12 bushels of corn for every 25 acres. In the total production of the state it will mean a reduction of 3,600,000 bushels. This would fill 3,600 cars, which would make a train 36 miles long.

Farmers can tell from these figures what losses may occur as a result of planting untested seed. Seed corn which tests 25 per cent below normal would reduce the yield to a point far below the possibility of profit. The University of Missouri college of agriculture has found that a great deal of the seed corn is testing 50 per cent or lower this year.

OLD PAPERS for sale at this office.

FOR CATHOLIC WAR FUND

Drive for Three Million Dollars Began With a Rush Yesterday — Knights of Columbus Take Leading Part

New York, March 19.—Five thousand team captains and officers on Sunday opened a seven-day drive in a campaign to raise $3,000,000 for the Catholic war fund, the Knights of Columbus Camp and Overseas Service and other war activities. The area to be covered by the drive extends from Poughkeepsie to this city and includes 298 parishes, with a Catholic population estimated at 1,300,000.

Under special instructions from Cardinal Farley more than 750 pastors and assistant priests in the district affected are assisting the campaign workers in every possible way.

The Knights of Columbus are taking a leading part in the big drive. Their war budget up to December 1, 1918, calls for $7,500,000.

Frank Cummins of Creston, Ia. was in Maryville yesterday on business.

The Coming of the Sun Beam

The coming of the sunbeam—the new baby—should be a happy time for the expectant mother. She should help nature by the daily use of the safe, penetrating external preparation, "Mother's Friend". By its regular use the breasts are kept in good condition, the tendency to morning sickness is avoided. The abdominal muscles relax without strain when baby is born and the crisis is naturally one of less pain and danger.

To neglect the use of "Mother's Friend" for a single night is a mistake. Send or phone to the druggist for a bottle today and write for valuable free book, "Motherhood and the Baby". Address The Bradfield Regulator Co., Dept. K, 300 Lamar Building, Atlanta, Ga.

HUDSON & WELCH
NORTH SIDE HARDWARE MEN
THE STORE WITH RIGHT PRICES

They're Stylish; They Fit; They Last

Hart, Schaffner & Marx Clothes Do The Economizing for You.

YOU WANT LONG SERVICE IN CLOTHES; BUT MERE DURABILITY ISN'T ENOUGH. YOU WANT SMART STYLE AND GOOD FIT. YOU'LL GET THOSE THINGS AT THIS STORE IN HART SCHAFFNER & MARX CLOTHES.

THEY'RE MADE OF ALL-WOOL FABRICS; THEY KEEP SHAPE; THEY FIT AND ARE STYLISH. SUCH CLOTHES SAVE.. THEY COST MORE PER SUIT, BUT LESS PER MONTH.

Hart, Schaffner & Marx
$22.50 to $35.00

Clothcraft Clothes
$17.50 to $26.50

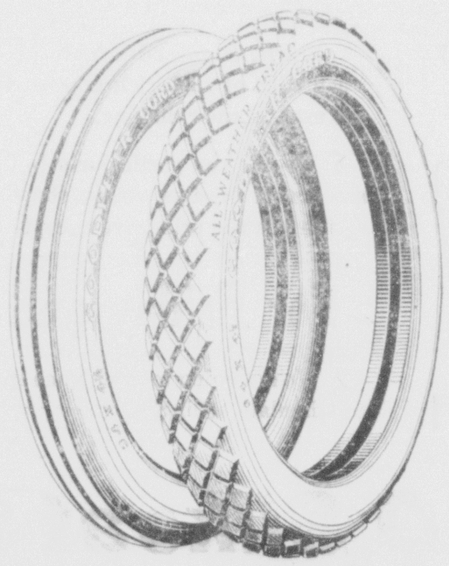
Full Line Ide and Manhattan Shirts
Full Line of Malory and Stetson Hats

Montgomery-Cummins Clothing Co.

First Door North of Nodaway Valley Bank

So short is the meat supply in England that the recent sinking of two meat laden ships from Argentine closed every butcher shop in London.

Noah Baker of Shenandoah was a Maryville visitor today.



The Masterpiece of Tire Construction

You have read ALL the points of superiority of Goodyear Cord Tires—

You know they are the best tires and you know why they are the best—

It's because they are made better—regardless of the expense of making—because the makers believe that the best construction is the most economical in an automobile tire.

The thing for you to do now is to figure how much it will save you and how much it will PAY you to equip YOUR car with these tires. There's no doubt of their supremacy—no doubt that they are masterpieces, and if you look to service, durability, and dependability there will be no doubt about equipping you car with Goodyear Cords.

George McMurry

BUICKS AND GOODYEARS.

News From Parnell.

Mrs. W. D. Wallace, Correspondent.

Andy Roof, James Lafavor, Earl Addy and Alex Harris went to Hopkins last week after the new auto hearse purchased by Roof & Lafavor.

Ben McClain went to Omaha Tuesday on business.

Harve Harris of St. Joseph arrived Friday to visit his sister, Mrs. Winkler.

Quite a number from Parnell went from Ravenwood Saturday to the teachers' meeting which was held there. The K. K. orchestra, composed of Parnell girls, furnished the music.

Mrs. Ed Jones and Mrs. W. N. Morgan visited several days last week in Kansas City and St. Joseph.

Mrs. E. A. McKim of Dallas, Ia., was called here last week by the serious illness of her mother, Mrs. Paxton.

Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Morgan were Maryville visitors Tuesday.

Miss Maud Adams has returned to her home in Maryville after several days visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Adams.

Mrs. Banner Brummitt and baby of Maryville, who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs John Brummitt and family, have returned home.

Rex Lincoln went to St. Joseph on Monday to visit relatives and friends there and at Wathena, Kans.

Theodore Logan and daughter, Vesta, went to St. Joseph Saturday to visit Mrs. Logan, who is at the Sisters' hospital there.

Mrs. A. F. Hall and daughters, Mis Mildred and Miss Beatrice, were St Joseph visitors Saturday.

Miss Quete Morgan visited last week in St. Joseph.

W. D. Wallace went to Bolckow Sunday to help with the farm work with his brother-in-law, Glen Lincoln

DIRE DISTRESS.

It Is Near at Hand to Hundreds of Maryville Readers.

Don't neglect an aching back.

Backache is often the kidney's cry for help.

Neglect hurrying to the kidneys' aid means that urinary troubles may follow.

Or danger of worse kidney trouble.

Here's a Maryville testimony.

H. C. Cornett, painter and paper hanger, 805 North Buchanan street, Maryville, says: "In my work I have a great deal of reaching and standing to do and I was greatly handicapped as my back hurt me severely across my kidneys. I couldn't bend or lift without pain. My kidneys acted too frequently, breaking my rest at night and leaving me all tired out in the morning. I used Doan's Kidney Pills with great benefit."

Price 60c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mr. Cornett had. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfgrs., Buffalo, N. Y.

Gaynor Happenings.

Mrs. H. S. Potter, Correspondent.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Florea received a letter last week stating that their son, Faye, who is at Camp Jackson, is in the hospital with the fever.

Mr. Goff celebrated his birthday anniversary Thursday, and when asked his age, replied: "Eighty-six; I'm nothing but a boy, yet."

Sherman Munn left Thursday for his new home in Wisconsin. The other members of the family will go in a few days.

Several of the farmers have lost calves with blackleg.

The Red Cross auxiliary will meet Thursday and will hold an exchange, the money going to the Red Cross. Everyone is invited to come and to donate something if they can, or come and buy something and help the good cause.

Estelle Thomas has been quite sick with tonsilitis.

The attendance at school is small this week, many of the children having "liberty" measles.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed West and son, Coy, spent Sunday with Mrs. West's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walker, of near Ravenwood. They were accompanied home by their son, Galen, who had been visiting his grandparents.

There will be a telephone meeting at Woodmen hall Friday evening.

WHO GETS THE FIRST KISS?

Du Bois, Pa., March 19.—The editor of the Du Bois Courier received the following letter:

"Dear Sir—I would like to have the pleasure to get in your paper a small place for a question. When a boy comes to the first time in love with a girl, who is entitled to the first kiss, the boy to the girl, or the girl to the boy?

"Truly, KATIE."

The editor ventured the opinion that the osculatory stunt should be "fifty-fifty."

Read Democrat-Forum Want Ads.

Forum-ettes

See we've got to begin saving day light next month, but what's a fellow who already gets up at daylight going to do?

A woman may not know about law and evidence, but she is there with bells on when it comes to convicting on circumstantial evidence.

A man is a queer animal. He will put his money in a savings bank and let it draw four per cent interest and pay the government a tax on it, but he will hesitate about loaning it to the best government on earth and get the same rate of interest with no tax to pay.

Who remembers when the skirts were so long that the sight of an ankle thrilled a man?

Incompatibility is the divorce court name for what happens when she catches him holding a dollar out of the weekly pay envelope.

Some day somebody is going to write a beautiful piece for the newspapers about the great good that prohibition has done in strengthening the Russian armies and the weak stand Germany is making against the rest of the world because her soldiers drink booze.

Every now and then you meet a man who would regard it as a very high honor to have a fice cent cigar named after him.

The facts of the case are that you are going to have to help pay for this war whether you get a raise in salary or not. It's better to pay now than have to pay Butcher Bill after awhile. Bought a stamp yet?

After a fastidious dresser has been married about ten years he is satisfied if he can find two socks in the morning that look something alike.

A wife and three or four children are a great cure for a young man who is inclined to worry about losing the crease in his pants.

A Maryville man says his wife is such a crank about conservation, that the only thing she serves him these days is a piece of her mind. And he added, "I'll admit it is not stale."

OFFERS U. S. ENTIRE OUTFIT.

Pittsburgh, March 21.—The firm of James H. McQuade & Co., a Pittsburgh contracting firm, has offered to the government the services of father and two sons, together with a complete road-making outfit, to be assigned to duty anywhere, at home or abroad, during the period of the war at a nominal cost of $1 a year.

While the tender practically means a cessation of the contracting firm's business, James McQuade, the head of the firm, said it meant nothing more than a desire to rally 'round the colors in what they considered their best capacity.

BEGIN RED CROSS DRIVE.

Memphis, Tenn., March 21.—A local Red Cross drive to raise $75,000 for war purposes was opened here today. Fully $100,000 will be needed annually by the local chapter to meet the demands of war work.

FOR SCAB ON SEED POTATOES

C. H. Belting of Normal Advises All Seed Stock to Be Treated Before Being Planted

No one should plant potatoes this year without treating the seed for scab, says C. H. Belting of the agriculture department at the Normal. This is a widely prevalent and familiar disease caused by a fungus growth It produces rough, scabbed or pitted spots on the potato which may spread and cover the whole tuber.

This disease appears to be present in many scils and to be able to live there for many years—particularly if the land is not acid. It is believed that planting of infected potatoes is the chief agency of spread. It is therefore recommended that all seed stock be disinfected before planting by soaking for two hours in a solution of formaldehyde (1 pint to 30 gallons of water). It requires about six gallons of this solution to treat one bushel of potatoes. This solution should not be used more than twice because it loses its strength. Soak the tubers before cutting because the seed pieces are injured by the formaldehyde.

If potato scab is known to have been present in a piece of ground for some years it is best to raise the potato crop on a new piece of ground or ground where potatoes have not been grown recently. Unless rotation is practiced the treatment of seed will not usually be sufficient if the soil is infected with the scab fungus.

Kill That Cold and Save Health

HILL'S CASCARA BROMIDE QUININE

The old family remedy—in tablet form—safe, sure, easy to take. No opiates—no unpleasant after effects. Cures colds in 24 hours—Grip in 3 days. Money back if it fails. Get the genuine box with Red Top and Mr. Hill's picture on it 24 Tablets for 25c.

At Any Drug Store

OPEN YOUR SAVINGS ACCOUNT NOW!

Lay the foundation of your fortune by opening a savings account today.

Deposits of one dollar and upward received in our savings department.

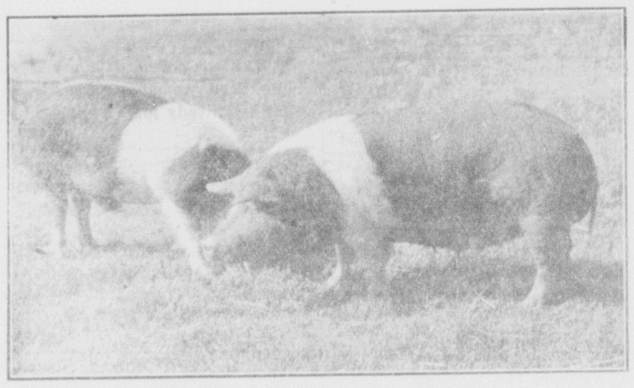
Interest Paid Twice a Year
Oldest Bank in the County.

4% ON SAVINGS DEPOSITS

NODAWAY VALLEY BANK
A Bank of Savings Maryville, Mo.

PUBLIC SALE OF
Registered Hampshire Hogs
Saturday, March 23

AT 1:30 p. m., SALES PAVILION, MARYVILLE, MO.



As I have sold my farm it is necessary for me to sell all of my Registered Hampshire Hogs. Herd Boars and Foundation Sows—the best to be found.

HERD BOAR TIP TIPTON NO. 35417, a son of the grand old General Tipton. Is one of the best living Hampshire Hogs today, and will sell.

My foundation sows are also the best. One by Messenger Boy. She is some sow, the 500 pound kind, and her offsprings, daughters and granddaughters are in this offering.

WASSER GIRL, the dam of Quality Girl, in the greatest show herd of 1916.

This offering includes 20 sows, and all of the best kind A great many of the sows will have pigs with them by this date.

THIRTY HEAD OF SUMMER GILTS. A few of these gilts will be bred to farrow in June.

Here is the place to buy some of the best Hampshires in the U. S. This is also the time to buy bargains, as I have not the time to advertise this stock so as to get their value.

Two sows sired by Gen. Tipton and their offspring are in this sale, also some real show boars and sows. This will be bargain day.

L. B. Peter

Aucts.—
Col. A. C. Manifold, Thomas Deem, R. P. Hosmer.

PUBLIC SALE

Having sold my farm, I will sell at the Tom Cain farm, 6½ miles northeast of Maryville, 1½ miles southeast of Myrtle Tree, on

MONDAY, MARCH 25

at 10 a. m. the following described property:

4 HEAD OF HORSES AND MULES—2 coming yearling mules, horse and mare, extra good ones; 1 coming yearling horse mule, good one; 1 bay colt 3 years old.

5 HEAD OF CATTLE—4 head of calves; 1 male calf.

19 HEAD OF FAT HOGS.

OATS—200 bushls of seed oats... **CORN**—About 250 bus.; 50 shocks of fodder; some corn in it; 3 tons timothy hay.

Implements—Disc Harrow, 2-section harrow; Jenny Linn trip cultivator; 1 Standard mowing machine; 1 family carriage; 1 spring wagon; 20 cords sawed stove wood; 200 good oak and hedge posts; 10 bus. seed potatoes.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS—2 bbls. vinegar, 3 cupboards, 1 folding bed, 1 dining table and chairs, 1 240-egg incubator.

TERMS OF SALE—$10 and under, cash; over that amount a credit of 3, 6 or 9 months time on a bankable note bearing 8 per cent interest from date. All property to be settled for before leaving farm.

Ladies of Myrtle Tree church will serve lunch.

R. P. Hosmer, Auct.
Arch Frank, Clerk.

Thomas Cain

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING

WANTS

THAT BRING RESULTS

RATES IN THIS COLUMN

Classified ads running three days or more will be inserted in this column for one-half cent per word each insertion. No ads taken for less than 25c for three days.

Ads running less than three days or interrupted insertions 1 cent per word each insertion.

Count the words; send money with the order. Ads should be in by twelve o'clock to insure insertion in this column same day.

These prices are for CASH with order. An extra charge of Five Cents will be made on all Want Ads when cash does not accompany the order.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Good list of prime real estate mortgage loans for disposal, in amounts to suit investors. See us for terms. Over Nodaway Valley Bank. The Sisson Loan & Title Co. 21tf

SOY BEAN SEED FOR SALE—We have about 50 bu. of good soy beans for sale. Several different varieties. Inquire of C. H. Belting at the Normal School. 11-23*

FOR SALE—Seed corn, home grown acclimated and carefully inspected and guaranteed. M. C. Thompson East side of square. Farmers 41-15, Hanamo 108. 14tf

FOR SALE—S. C. White Leghorn eggs, $5 per hundred; orders taken for baby chicks. E. G. Wells, Ravenwood.

FOR SALE — Pop corn wagon, in good condition, cheap. Inquire at Protzman's Barber Shop. 18-30*

FOR SALE—Early Ohio potatoes also few tons of hay. C. W. Hilsenbeck, 7 miles south of Maryville. 19-21*

FOR SALE—1,000 bu. good corn. F. M. Grundel, Farmers phone 58-18. 20-22

A GOOD PLACE in town for rent or sale—house, 2 acres ground, fruit, outbuildings. Call Farmers 111-15. 19-21*

FOR SALE—Pair mare mules, nice quality, coming 3-year olds; also pair coming 3 year-old mares. Collins Bros., Farmers 198. 19-21*

FOR SALE—S. C. White Leghorn eggs, $5.00 per hundred. Mrs. L. O. Reaksecker, Farmers phone 38-20. 20-2*

GOOD SET of double harness for sale or trade for old junk. Maryville Iron & Metal Co. 19-21*

FOR SALE—Some home grown Irish Ohio potatoes, $1.25 bu. W. W. McDonald, north end Mulberry st. 21-23*

FOR SALE—Barred Rock eggs from extra good stock; no cheap stuff. M. C. Thompson, Far. phone 41-15. 21tf

FOR SALE—Good 4-burner Quick Meal oil stove. Call Hanamo 545. 21-23*

FOR SALE—Barred Rock eggs at $1.00 per setting; $1.75 for two settings. Mrs. Albert S. Watson. Phone 5-15. 21-23*

FOR SALE—Early Ohio seed potatoes, $1.50 per bu. Frank T. Hall, Farmers phone 5-14. 21-23

FOR SALE — Home grown raspberry plants; Black Pear, Cumberland and Kansas and Gregg varieties. E. H. Bearce, Burlington Junction, Box 47. Phone 181. 21-23*

FOR SALE—Black Langshan eggs for hatching, $1.00 for 15, $4.00 for 100. Mrs. Allen Haller, Route 2. Farmers phone 11-17. 21-23*

MISCELLANEOUS

CALL Standard Plumbing Co. for that plumbing job. Estimates given free. Hanamo 46. 13tf

GIRL attending Normal wants place to work for board. Phone 3688 after 4 o'clock. 19-21*

SINGLE COMB Brown Leghorn egg for hatching, $4.00 per hundred, Miller Purvis strain. Mrs. Roland Evans Maryville, Mo., Route 4. Telephon Arkoe. 14-10*

WE HAVE received shipment of seed wheat, now in stock, $3.50 per bu. Bring your sacks. Braniger. 21tf

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—3 nice up-stair rooms after April 1. William Everhart. 18-tf

FOR RENT—9 room house corner West 6th and North Mulberry. See or call A. L. Nash, Han. 306. 19-21*

FOR RENT—84¼ acres near Rosendale, about 65 acres in cultivation. See J. W. Holt, Maryville. 19-21*

FOR RENT—Seven room house on South Market street, two blocks from square. Mrs. A. T. Stinson. 19-21*

FOR RENT—5-room house, all nicely papered, 4 lots. 815 South Vine st. Farmers phone 52012. 21-23*

FOR RENT—Suite of rooms in Borrusch building. M. H. Borrusch, Hanamo 587. 21-23*

FOR RENT—5-room house, $6.00 per month if taken soon. Also Early Ohio seed potatoes for sale. Bert Hiatt, both phones. 20-22*

FOR RENT—Large downstairs room —steam heat and lavatory. Excellent business location. Call Hanamo 261. 19-21

WANTED

WANTED—Married man and wife experience on the farm, no children $40 and board. John Hoshor, 2 miles east and one mile south of town. 14-22*

WANTED—700 men and women to witness "The Parish Priest," Empire Theatre, Monday, April first. 6-23

WANTED—Garden plowing; terms reasonable. Call Hanamo 4454, Farmers 156-14. 19-21*

WANTED—Girl for house work in Ssmall family. 301 East 3rd, Hanamo 3527. 19-21

WANTED—One or two Normal girls to room. Victor C. Smith, 803 N. Walnut. Farmers 72-15. 19-21*

WANTED—Road wagon or buggy, second hand, good condition. Shoemaker - Bovard Co. 20-22*

WANTED — Housekeeper, middle aged woman. Lawrence Nicholson, Hopkins, Mo., Route 3. Phone 581. 20-22

WANTED—To sell at once, 6-room house, modern except heat. Also a barn for sale. Hanamo 412. 20-22

WANTED—To buy horse for delivery wagon. Call Maryville Laundry. 20-22

WANTED—Buyers for 200 bu. of Jonathan apples at Stapler's meat market Saturday. 21-23

WANTED—Cook at County Farm; middle aged woman preferred. Good wages and steady job. Call 17-20 Far. 21-23*

WANTED—Dishwasher at New Linville Hotel. 21-23

LOST

LOST—Saturday, lady's brown kid glove, black fur around top. Leave with Mrs. McKenzie at Townsend's grocery. 19-21*

LOST — About March 1, black astrakhan muff. Mrs. J. J. Heifner, 704 N. Main. 19-21

LOST—Sack of wheat in road between Eldon Wolfe farm and Henry Wells. Notify Henry Wells or Roll

LOST—Pair men's black pony skin mittens, new. Return to Democrat-Forum office. 19-21

LOST OR MISLAID—Pair of men's black pony skin mittens, new. Return to Democrat-Forum office. 19-21

MARKET REPORTS

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Grain Market Future.

Kansas City, Mar. 21.—CORN—May $1.26.

Kansas City Live Stock

Kansas City, March 21.—CATTLE—Receipts 3,000; steers $10 @ $14; cows $6 @ $13.

HOGS—Receipts 6,000; top $17.50; bulk $16.85 @ $17.35.

Chicago Live Stock

Chicago, March 21.—CATTLE—Receipts 16,000; market steady.

HOGS—Receipts 38,000; market 5 higher; top $18.10.

St Joseph Live Stock

St. Joseph, March 21.—CATTLE—Receipts 2,000; market steady.

HOGS—Receipts 6,000; market 5 higher; top $17.35.

PRODUCE MARKET.

Springs	20c
Ducks	17c
Eggs, per doz.	30c
Cream, per lb.	37c
Geese	17c
Old Roosters	12
Hides, per lb.	8

FOR COLLECTOR.

I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of City Collector subject to the decision of the voters at visiting in Maryville at the home of 2. A. N. (DOLL) REESE.

Jacob Shambargar and daughter, Miss Fanny, of Graham, were in Maryville on business today.

LIBERTY LOAN FLAG

(Continued from Page 1.)

scribed with their standings when the loan is completed.

Each individual subscriber, besides having his name entered at his district's headquarters on the honor roll, will be given a small flag with a blank space for his name. These flags are to be posted in the windows of homes after the manner of the Red Cross campaign.

Chairman W. C. Pierce, in charge of the campaign in Nodaway county, yesterday announced that in anticipation of the work of the Boy Scouts, some thirty or more members of the local organization having already enlisted for service in the Third Liberty Loan drive, a prize of $25 would be awarded the patrol that sold the largest number of bonds. Each troop is composed of four patrols of eight Scouts each. Each Scout is required to report sales to his Scoutmaster, giving the name of the person, address and amount. A record is kept and furnished the treasury department at Washington and on this report, properly certified, war service emblems are given to all Scouts who sell a certain number of bonds.

The report of Scoutmaster A. M. Crooke to the government will govern the award by the local committee for patrol honors.

DOUGLAS FAIRBANKS TONIGHT

Douglas Fairbanks' new Artcraft picture, "Down to Earth," written by himself, at the Empire tonight, discloses the views of life as seen by the optimistic screen favorite. The well known philosophy of the energetic Douglas, sparkling with humor and radiating sunshine everywhere, is brought out with effective result in this motion picture tonic of many hearty laughs.

Crap Shooter Fined $25.

Bert Martin, arrested by Sheriff John F. Dowden, charged with shooting craps, pled guilty when arraigned before Justice W. L. Johnson today and was fined $25 and costs. Martin is a pal of Percy Martin, arrested on the same charge a few days ago, both having been caught in a game at the Star barn.

Program at Bedison.

Christian church Saturday night, March 23, a drama, "Out in the Street," ten characters. Reading, "The Convict's Warning," by Ethel Kidd.

A comedy, "Mother-in-law," six characters.

Proceeds for Red Cross work. Admission 25c and 15c; tickets will be on sale at Dodds' store.—Adv.

To Conduct Demonstration.

Miss Bigley of Chicago has been secured by the Schumacher grocery store to conduct a demonstration of Batavia coffee and canned fruits and vegetables during the rest of this week. The Schumacher grocery, which has recently been remodeled, is one of the most modern and up to date retail groceries in this section of the state and handle exclusively the Batavia goods.

John Geyer Enlisted.

John S. Geyer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Geyer of Graham, has enlisted in the serial photographers' corps, and will leave this afternoon for Rochester, New York.

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We have a variety of charming new styles in Tailored Suits that have ust arrived. They are in wool mixtures, serge, tricotine and gabardine in black, navy, putty, gray and sand, belt and button trimmed, some with novelty pockets, wide, plain and fancy collars. In a range of prices from

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For Friday and Saturday

We are going to offer some special price inducements to stimulate selling.

$2.50 Silks at $2.15

In this assortment you will find taffeta and satin stripes, satin twills, lace taffetas, fancy satin stripes in a beautiful combination of colors. Another assortment of silks, regular $2.25 values at $1.90, and $2.00 values at $1.65.

In plain color taffetas we will offer fr these two days only the $1.50 values at $1.39 and the $1.75 values at $1.59.

We have several pieces of gros de londre silk in black, green, Copenhagen and navy; this is an exceptionally heavy and durable corded silk especially desirable for suits and skirts and would be worth on today's market $2.50 a yard. Our price for this special sale will be $1.75.

Frank Garrett to Build.

Frank L. Garrett will soon begin the erection of a dwelling on the lot he recently purchased on West First street. Mr. Garrett sold the east half of the lot containing a house to Glen Davis who will occupy the property.

Earl Dall, Rosa Wallace, O. O. Coulter, S. S. Donnell and Ira Nevlen of Clearmont were in Maryville on business yesterday.

Visits Old Friends.

Fleet Andrews of Wakeman, O., is visiting at Maryville at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Wilderman and Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Bryan. Mr. Andrews is a former resident of Maryville and is on his way to Colorado Springs where he will make his home.

Mrs. Leslie Rhoades and Mrs. Geo. Vouchens and daughter and Dr. and Mrs. J. D. Hunterson of Ravenwood were in Maryville yesterday.

Kicked In Side.

Lawrence Wilcox of near Harmony neighborhood was painfully injured this morning when kicked in the side by a young horse which he was harnessing.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Stevens of Skidmore were among the out of town people in Maryville yesterday.

Mrs. Sylvester Dougherty of Graham was in Maryville yesterday.

GERMANS TO OCCUPY MOSCOW.

Copenhagen, March 21. — German troops are again advancing in both northern and southern Russia and dispatches received here today indicated that the invaders will try to occupy both Moscow and Petrograd.

Mrs. Margaret Dougan, who has been ill for the last two weeks, is able to return to her work at the Eversole Dry Goods store.